Secrets of Charlestown Prison.

As told in the diary of Cardenio F. King will begin in Sunday's American. The most remarkable human document ever printed in a newspaper.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight; moderate northerly and westerly winds.

Sun rises 4:29, sets 7:12.
Moon rises 10:20 p. m.
High tide 3:45 a. m., 4:15 p. m.

Temperatures: Boston 72, St. Louis 66, Chicago 68, New York 68, Philadelphia 70.

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CAUGHT IN 1500-MILE MAN HUNT

ANNA HELD and her diamond stockings. She is appearing in a London music hall and setting a new and expensive fashion.

BOSTON LINER IN CRASH

51 ON SHIP IN CRASH OFF CAPE

Liner Persian Hit by Freighter Millinocket—Latter Beached with Hole in Bow.

PASSENGERS PRAISE CREW

The steamer Persian of the Mechanics & Miners' line docked in Boston at noon today after a collision with the freighter Millinocket, in Pollock Rip slue, last night. The Millinocket was so badly stove in that just as she reached Vineyard Haven, her stern touched bottom, and she was beached. The collision took place in a dense fog.

When the Persian docked here the fifty-one passengers who had been in peril gathered and gave three cheers for Captain Edward F. Pager, and three more for A. C. Campbell, the wireless operator. The passengers declared that the entire ship's crew had been cool, collected, and ready for anything. One man said:

"I was on deck when the crash came—and it seemed to me I barely turned around before I saw every man at his station, the life boats swung out and ready to be lowered. I really believe they could have had every passenger and every member of the crew safely overboard in the boats three minutes after the collision. They had learned the Titanic lesson."

Persian Was Drifting in Fog.

The Persian was not under way when the collision came, but was drifting in the fog. The Millinocket side-swiped the Persian's bow. The Millinocket was stove in, and the Persian's stem was badly battered—doing about $10,000 damage.

The Persian's wireless for help was answered by five ships. The steamer Howard escorted her in.

Shortly after the collision, all passengers were ordered to dress and come on deck, ready to transfer to the Howard if it became necessary. There was no panic.

Captain Tells of Crash.

Captain Page of the Persian said:

"We struck the freighter in the after starboard quarter. Our bow was twisted and flattened. I ordered the signal for assistance sent out from our wireless. Passengers came on deck. I told them there was no danger. The other officers went among the passengers.

Soon the "Howard" from Baltimore and Newport News hailed us. At 3:30 a. m. we learned that the "Millinocket" had been beached and was leaking.

Ice Must Be Pure, Says Supreme Court

Chief Justice Rugg Issues Sweeping Decree in Lynn Case.

Chief Justice Rugg of the Supreme Court in a decree issued today plainly indicated that pure ice must be provided for family use in Massachusetts. The Chief Justice issued a peremtory order requiring the North Shore Ice Company of Lynn to obey the instructions of the State Board of Health.

These instructions, proceeding from the belief that the ice from Flax Pond in Lynn, is impure, decreed that no ice should be delivered from wholesale wagons to be used by families or dealers using the ice in drinks. The decree is so sweeping that experts say it must be taken as a matter of law in Massachusetts that ice to be used for refrigerating purposes must be kept and sold pure from ice to be used in foods and drinks.

Start Inquiry on Hull Mortar Shell

Colonel Frederick Marsh, U. S. A., commanding the Boston artillery district, today began an investigation with a board of army officers to determine who was responsible for the firing of a shot from the mortar batteries at Fort Andrews, Peddocks Island, that landed in a Hull street.

The shot was fired by one of the companies of Major Dwight Fullerton's battalion of the Massachusetts Coast Artillery encamped at Fort Andrews for its annual tour of duty.

Alaskan Glaciers Destroying Forests

Others Shrinking a Mile in Ten Years, Says Report.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—A report on the glaciers of Alaska, issued today by the Geological Survey, says that some of the icefields of the northern territory have diminished in size during the last few years, while others have grown. Several of the glaciers are advancing in such a manner that they are overriding great forests, completely destroying them, says the report, while others are shrinking at the rate of a mile in ten years.

Alaskan glaciers have college names, according to the report. Yale glacier, Harvard glacier, Smith, Bryn Mawr, Vassar and Wellesley glacier being among the large ones.

Offer Made to South African Union Men

PRETORIA, July 25.—The government today replied to the demand of the railroad men and miners in South Africa, granting certain concessions, but not agreeing to all the demands. The union officials are discussing whether the terms will be accepted. A general strike will follow in case a settlement cannot be reached.

Mellen to Defend Policy in Office

NEW YORK, July 25.—Charles S. Mellen will today submit to the executive committee of the New Haven road a statement in answer to the findings of the Interstate Commerce Commission on the road's management, in which the President will defend his office and the course he has pursued in the handling of the road's affairs. It is not known whether the statement will be made public.

Wrecked Auto to Escape Collision

BEVERLY, July 25.—Dr. H. B. Mead and his chauffeur narrowly escaped serious injury when, to prevent a collision with a runaway horse on Corning street, the chauffeur drove the car into a tree. The car turned turtle. The occupants escaped any serious injuries. The car was wrecked.

What Are You Paying for Rent?

It is possible that you are getting really more than your money's worth—It's possible you are not—

In the latter case, the solution is daily note of the Real Estate Advertisements of the BOSTON AMERICAN—next to the last page.

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ENVOY WILSON ARRIVES

Ambassador to Mexico Lands in New York and Will Go to Capital at Once.

BRYAN BACK FROM TOUR

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Henry Lane Wilson, American Ambassador to Mexico, who was summoned to the Capital for a conference with President Wilson on the Mexican situation, was expected in Washington late this afternoon.

The Ambassador arrived at New York today on the steamship Mexico. He refused to say a word in reference to Mexico.

A resolution reaffirming belief in the Monroe Doctrine, and containing indirect references to Japan and the Mexican situation, was introduced in the House today by Representative Frank Clark of Florida.

The resolution also demands the abandonment of the Philippine Islands as soon as a stable local government shall have been established there.

Secretary of State Bryan returned today to his desk from his Western lecture tour, and immediately plunged into a study of the recent dispatches from Mexico. When asked about the situation in that country, he said:

"I won't talk about Mexico, but I could discourse about the harvest in Iowa all Summer long." The Secretary of State declined to discuss the report that he was to be selected to carry the olive branch of mediation to the warring Mexican factions.

It is understood President Wilson has selected former Representative John E. Lamb, of Indiana as Ambassador to Mexico. He will be sent to Mexico City whenever there is a stable government to which he may be accredited.

Arrest Man and 500 Hens at Eviction

Five hundred squawking hens were placed under arrest—along with Morris Goretsky—when Constable George A. Borofski and his men today evicted Abraham Phillips from his kosher abattoir at Nos. 20 and 22 Orleans street, East Boston. Borofski had to break into the premises, and charges Goretsky hit him with a club. The hens were crated and brought to Boston, where they will be kept till the case is disposed of.

Second Suicide Over Schroeder Romance

NEW YORK, July 25.—The tragedy of suicides, which followed the elopement of Elsa Schroeder with the "Baron" Richard Arkoy, a Hungarian adventurer, culminated today when Robert Schroeder, a retired stock broker, ended his life by gas in the same room where his wife heartbroken over their daughter's marriage, also committed suicide.

E. F. Lawrence Dead.

WILTON, N. H., July 25.—Edward F. Lawrence, sixty-eight, for over forty-five years an engineer on the Boston & Maine Railroad, is dead here. At sixteen he enlisted for the Civil War and served until its finish.

Children Gain Flesh Taking Father John's Med. Pure, wholesome tonic.

Plea by Prisoner's Wife Moves Judge

Allows West End Man Probation After Hearing Woman.

Standing in the court room with her three months' old baby girl in her arms, Mrs. Flordo Cook, of No. 3 Phillips Place, West End, today appealed to Judge Creed to let her husband go home with her. He was held for the Grand Jury, charged with entering a building at No. 47 Garden street and stealing a rug.

"Don't take him away from me. Let him go home. I don't know what I shall do if you send him away," she pleaded.

Cook pleaded guilty to stealing the rug and the Judge placed him on probation. As he stepped from the dock Mrs. Cook threw herself into her husband's arms. The little family walked happily from the court room, and Judge Creed smiled.

Blood Transfusion for Mrs. Pankhurst

Performed to Save Suffragette, Weakened by "Hunger Strikes."

LONDON, July 25.—The hunger strikes which she inaugurated when in jail have greatly undermined Mrs. Emeline Pankhurst's constitution. So weakened was her condition today that she was subjected to a transfusion of blood operation. The physicians decided that the operation was necessary in order to save the militant leader's life.

Take Lowell Boys at Beach for Theft

Spending money too freely at Revere Beach brought James Fitzpatrick, fourteen, and Oliver Richardson, fifteen, of Lowell, into the hands of the Metropolitan Park police, and today they were taken to Lowell and locked up on a charge of breaking into a Lowell store and stealing $60.

Dorothea Finlay Ill During Races

TOLEDO, July 25.—Dorothea Finlay of Boston, a famous young yachtswoman, while at the tiller of her boat, the Figi II., in the ladies' cutbout race here, had a serious attack of sea-sickness. She stuck to her post, and finished well up in the race. Mrs. George King's Old Sam won.

Boy Teamster Is Killed by Elevator

John Walsh, fourteen, an express driver, was instantly killed in a freight elevator at No. 85 Stanhope street today. His head was caught and crushed when he looked over the edge of the ascending car.

Austria Interferes in Bulgars' Defense

VIENNA, July 25.—Austria will not allow the other Balkan States to humiliate Bulgaria any further. The Austro-Hungarian ministers at Belgrade and Athens were today notified to insist that hostilities in the new war cease immediately.

Greece and Servia today both definitely rejected the Roumanian proposal for the conclusion of a provisional armistice during the conferences at Nice.

Somerville Tax Boosted to $19.80

Somerville announced a $1 boost of the tax rate to $19.80 today. The valuation is personal, $7,828,804; real, $54,017,900.

The Brookline tax rate was today increased today from $12 to $13.30. Brookline is the fourth richest municipality in the State, with a valuation of $127,595,300.

ALLEGED ATLANTA BOSWICK KIDNAPER CAPTURED IN BOSTON

After a chase of more than 1,500 miles from Atlanta, Georgia, to Boston, John D. Mattiford, fifty years old, was arrested by Inspectors Dorsey and O'Neil of police headquarters today, charged with being a fugitive from justice. Mattiford is charged by the Atlanta police with kidnaping John A. Boswick, Jr., five, and Dorothy E. Boswick, nine, children of John A. Boswick, a wealthy cotton goods manufacturer of Atlanta.

HELD FOR ATLANTA POLICE.

He was taken before Judge Creed in the Police Court, pleaded not guilty, and was held in $1,000 bail to await the arrival of the Atlanta police. The Boston police are also looking for Mrs. Boswick and Mrs. Annie Lorie Jeter, the mother of Mrs. Boswick, who is also charged with kidnaping. Both Mrs. Boswick and Mrs. Jeter have eluded the police, taking the two children with them.

Traced Over New England.

For the past three weeks Inspectors Dorsey and O'Neil have been searching for Mattiford. He has been traced all over New England, but has escaped.

For several weeks Mattiford and Mrs. Boswick were registered at the Clarendon Hotel under the name of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin.

When the police called at the hotel, the clerk informed them that they had left the previous day. Mattiford was traced to Portland, but he received word and jumped back to Boston. He obtained a position with the Otis Elevator Company, but left the day the police arrived to arrest him.

Turned at Name.

Furnished with a photograph and an excellent description of the man the two inspectors traversed the South End.

Shortly before 10 o'clock today they saw Mattiford walking down Columbus avenue alone. Inspector Dorsey approached him, spoke his name and Mattiford turned. He was immediately placed under arrest and taken to police headquarters.

ENVOY WILSON ARRIVES; ON WAY TO WASHINGTON

WIMBLEDON, England, July 25.—The Americans and British divided honors in the opening matches for the Davis tennis trophy today; James Cecil Parke defeating Maurice E. McLoughlin in three sets out of five in the first play, while R. Norris Williams won over Charles P. Dixon, in the second match, three sets to two.

Parke's victory was a great surprise. This was the one match, above all others, that the Americans expected to capture. They had believed that McLoughlin would surely take the first singles, although a bit scary about the other points, particularly tomorrow's doubles.

The first set was long and hard fought, McLoughlin finally winning, 10 to 8. Parke came back and took the second set, 7—5. He also won the third set, 6—4. Excitement was keen when McLoughlin won the fourth set, easily, 6—1, making a tie. But Parke came back again and took the fifth and deciding set, 7—5.

Before McLoughlin met Parke the English frankly conceded that this match would go to America. In the recent world's championships McLoughlin beat Parke easily in three straight sets.

Find Cambridge Ice Company Guilty

The Cambridge Ice Company today was found guilty of selling short-weight ice, in the Cambridge Court, and was fined twenty dollars, but appealed. Deputy Sealer Bailey complained that the company sold Mrs. McKenna of No. 14 Valentine road, "fifty pounds," which only weighed thirty-two pounds.

AUTOIST FREED ON DRUNKENNESS CHARGE.

William Cobis of Brockton, charged with operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor, was found not guilty in the Quincy police court today.

EARTHQUAKE RECORDED IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—A moderate earthquake shock was recorded at Georgetown University today. The disturbance began at 7:44 o'clock and ended at 8:08 o'clock.

The shocks were estimated to be about 3,000 miles from Washington.

BRINGS MILLION GALLONS OF OIL.

One million gallons of oil came into today on board the Standard Oil tank ship Vesta on her maiden trip to this port. This is the largest amount of oil that ever arrived in Boston on one ship.

CHARGE AUTO DRIVER WAS INTOXICATED

Michael F. Lysoght appeared before Judge Creed in Municipal Court today, charged with operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $300 for a hearing August 1.

The police charge he was operating an automobile which was in a collision last night with an electric car in Castle Square.

One man was injured in the collision, and sixty passengers on the car got a severe jolt and a bad fright.

The Highway Commission is investigating the case.

Lysoght says he lives at No. 384 Harvard street, Dorchester. The injured man was A. M. McDonald of No. 29 Sawyer street, Dorchester, who was riding in the auto. William Kerwin of New York, in the tonneau, was not injured.

The automobile was on the inward bound rails, and met an outbound Jamaica Plain trolley. Stephen J. Crocker was conductor of the car, and Klies Cooper was motorman.

Just as the car and automobile met the automobile suddenly swerved and struck the car head on. The fender and dasher of the car were smashed, and the automobile's headlights were broken. A crowd gathered, and an officer arrested Lysoght.

Burleson Defends Parcel Post Cut

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Postmaster General Burleson today told the Senate postoffice committee that he felt that the parcel post act had given him full authority to broaden the scope of the parcel post to compete with other carriers.

"I took the matter up with several authorities," said Burleson, "and satisfied myself that there was no doubt as to my power to abolish zones, to increase the weight of packages to be carried by the service, and to establish a flat rate if I could obtain the permission of the Interstate Commerce Commission."

Burleson then read a letter from the Interstate Commerce Commission authority for him to make the changes. His order lowering the rates and authorizing the transportation of packages of greater weight than now handled in the mails had only been issued after a careful investigation had convinced him that the parcel post was not handling the class of freight specified in the act.

Ninety-one per cent. of the packages were under five pounds in weight, said Mr. Burleson. He contended that in many instances the parcel post rates were higher than those of other carriers, and that the promulgation of his order would put the government service on a more equal footing with the express

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MISS ELIZABETH GOLDEN, who is to wed Prince Paul de Clairmont, the hero of "Three Weeks."

PHOTO BY ARLE DUPONT.

Miss Golden Is Fascinated by Her "Paul," Who Admits the Incidents of "Three Weeks" and Confesses No Regrets.

FOSS GOT THE LABOR LEADERS, SAID MULHALL

WASHINGTON, July 25.—It was brought out in the Senate lobby hearing today that on October 3, 1910, Colonel Mulhall, agent of the National Association of Manufacturers, wrote to A. E. Cox of East Boston, Mass., that he "gathered together twenty-two of the best known labor workers in Boston" to aid in Governor Draper's campaign.

On November 28, 1910, Mulhall wrote Cox: "I am sorry to hear of the fight that has been made against Senator Lodge, and if I can be of any help to you in the situation I shall be glad to offer my aid as a volunteer."

On December 22 Cox wrote Mulhall respecting the campaign in Massachusetts:

"The leaders of the labor unions were far him to make the changes. His order purchased body and soul, as they disappearances went, by Foss, and, despite their earnest protest against his nomination, they all fell into line and worked like beavers for him."

Chairman Overman today declared he had no intention of surrendering Colonel M. M. Mulhall to the House Committee next week and indicated that there were probably two weeks of grilling by his committee in store for Mulhall.

Riots May Follow Havana Decision

HAVANA, Cuba, July 25.—Bloody riots may follow the decision of the special session of Congress, which convened this afternoon, as to whether the government will be given permission to try the assassins of General Armand Riva, police chief of Havana, who was shot on the night of July 7. Under the Cuban constitution, law-makers are immune from prosecution. The suspects are Governor Asbert, Representative Arias and Senator Morales. President Menocal insisted on Congress amending the constitution.

Miss Elizabeth Golden of Haverhill, Boston and New York says she is going to marry the real life hero of "Three Weeks"—sure.

"Paul of the Golden Hair"—otherwise Prince Paul de Clairmont, admits that he is the real life person from whom Elinor Glyn drew her famous character. His bride to be is the daughter of Patrick Golden of Haverhill—now living in New York.

They will marry in September. Meanwhile, an emerald ring which she says has been in Paul's family for four hundred years, and which he gave her, reminds Miss Golden of her troth.

She says: "Paul is the most fascinating man in the world—even though as a boy he did get into bad company."

Paul confesses no regret for the incidents upon which "Three Weeks" was founded. He even says: "It was clever to call it 'Three Weeks,' but really it was much longer, you know."

When the couple got their license to marry at City Hall on July 5, "Paul" gave some interesting personal data. He said he was Paul John Preston Arnott de Clairmont, and that he was born in Russia. His father, he declared, was an admiral in the service of the Czar, and was born in Ireland. His occupation was given as author, actor and classical dancer. "Paul" admitted that he had been married, but said his wife was dead.

Senate Democrats for Currency Action

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Senator Owen of Oklahoma, chairman of the senate banking and currency committee, today said that a poll of the Senate Democrats showed 47 in favor of currency legislation at this session, two absent and two in favor of a recess. The senator said he had the assurance of six Republicans that they also would favor currency reform immediately.

FIND PLOT TO BLOW UP SING SING PRISON

OSSINING, N. Y., July 25.—Sixty-five desperate convicts, ringleaders in the reign of terror that has for two days kept the prisoners at Sing Sing in dread of mutiny and riot, were taken today, manacled and shackled, to Auburn, leaving in their wake a new terror in the form of the discovery of a plot to dynamite the prison, release the lawless horde and to shut off the water supply so that fire, that formed a part of the general plot, could work its havoc without resistance.

To meet the danger of the situation, Warden Clancy had all of the inmates of the prison locked in their cells while the first lot of disturbers were taken to the train and not a wheel turned in the prison industries.

Cursing and shouting, the closely locked men made hideous the hour of the speeding of the departing trouble makers who marched a quarter of a mile under the muzzles of guns that meant death in the event of disorder.

From the start the prisoners rebelled at being shackled, and in many cases the guards were compelled to use force to get the shackles on.

Ninety heavily armed guards marched along with the men. The noisy, riotous, swearing line went its way to the accompaniment of a noisy, vicious demonstration on the part of the 1,600 other convicts left locked in their cells. Angered by the news that they must stay under lock and key, the imprisoned men shouted, cursed, howled and beat their cell doors.

Only Formalities Remain for Elliott

NEW YORK, July 25.—Only formalities remain to be gone through with to make Howard Elliott chief executive of the New Haven system. He has been selected by the special committee and has given his informal acceptance. This afternoon the committee will take formal action on the matter in the way of passing a recommendation on to the executive committee, which in turn will pass it on to the full board of directors. Unless present plans are changed the latter will elect Mr. Elliott president of the New Haven railroad.

Warns Postmasters of State Hour Laws

WASHINGTON, July 25.—First Assistant Postmaster-General Roper today sent a warning to all fourth class postmasters that where such postoffices are located in States having limited hours of labor for women fixed by law, the department will insist on strict adherence to the statutes.

Saralaneroparanian, Estaboborakamasian

And Barasyjian Tried to Spell Chargoggagoggmanchaugagogg—

(This is not a "test" item.)

WEBSTER, July 25.—Hagop Barasyjian of Fitchburg and Menad Estaboborakamasian of Lowell went fishing today in Lake Chargoggagoggmanchaugagoggchaubunagungamaug with their cousin, Hajjoman Saralaneroparanian, whom they are visiting for the week-end. On the way Barasyjian tried to tell Saralaneroparanian and Estaboborakamasian how to spell the famous name of the lake, which contains forty-three letters. After each one had learned to spell it fluently, as he thought, they made a bet of $2 that each would write it more quickly. While Barasyjian timed them, they started. At the end of thirty seconds, after much biting of pencils, the score stood thus:

Estaboborakamasian had written as far as: "Chargoggagoggmanchaugagoggchaubunagungam——"

Saralaneroparanian had written as far as: "Chargoggagoggmanchaugagoggchaubunagungamaug——"

Saralaneroparanian claimed the $2 by one letter and was awarded the prize by Barasyjian.

Lynnway Club Head Pleads Not Guilty

Frank J. McPeak, holder of the innholder's license at the Pines Hotel and manager of the Lynnway Club, located in the same building, at Point of Pines, Revere, appeared in the Chelsea court today charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance. He pleaded not guilty and his case was continued to August 1. He was represented by Attorney James H. Vahey.

McPeak appeared as the result of a raid made upon the Lynnway Club under the direction of Chairman Walter T. White of the Revere Selectmen after White claimed that the town police refused to act.

Works Puts Tariff Blame on President

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Senator Works of California today assailed the sugar schedule in the Democratic tariff bill and insisted that it meant ruin for hundreds of sugar beet producers in California and other Western States. He declared the President exceeded his conditional authority by aiding in framing the tariff bill and used his powerful influence improperly to have the bill passed in the form he desired.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Salisbury

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie I. Salisbury, who was killed at Revere last Sunday by her husband, were held privately this afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. N. Potter, No. 66 Cherry street, Maplewood. Only one of her three children were present.

SCANNELL OWN ATTORNEY, BUT IS FINED $50

Colonel Roger Scannell, hero of many battles in the courts and on the stump, discoverer of Mallow Spa and importer of the famous Kerry goat "Skellig Molr," which shone for awhile in the limelight as a United States battleship "mascot" a few years ago, was himself in the Dorchester Police Court today on a charge of violating the Sunday ordinances at his property in Mattapan called Rugby Park. He was fined $50.

The colonel was prosecuted by Police Lieutenant Philip O'Neill of the Dorchester district.

Lieutenant O'Neill and his subordinate officers, testified to the presence at Rugby Park on June 29, which was Sunday, of fifteen half barrels of beer and much other liquid refreshments. There were 1,500 people in the park that afternoon and some fourteen of those had to be arrested for over-indulgence.

Lieutenant O'Neill also charged similar stocks of liquid goods on July 5, July 13 and July 20.

The colonel said he was neither a law-maker nor a law-breaker. He had two good witnesses to on his side, William Barnes, a neighbor of Rugby Park, and Alderman James T. Barrett of Cambridge, both of whom testified to the harmlessness of the proceedings at Rugby Park on the days mentioned by Police Lieutenant O'Neill.

Judge Merritt imposed a fine of $50, from which Colonel Scannell appealed.

Free Suitor Who Failed in Kidnaping

When the case of Carmelo Morinno, charged with attempted kidnaping, was called today in the Municipal Court, Judge Creed said: "Case dismissed."

Camello tried to kidnap Carmela Tarro. He was arrested. He got a marriage license and took it to court. Judge Creed held the case over. Today a priest came to court and said he was about to marry Carmela and Carmelo.

Police Hunt "A No. 1."

"A No. 1," the world's champion tramp, who has left his cabalistic sign on Boston buildings, is wanted in Toledo, O., for marking on the Federal building in indelible pencil his name, "A No. 1."

$12.50 Norfolk Suits $7.75

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$3 White Repp Skirts
98c
We announce a purchase of 2000 flat fine white repp and white pique skirts. Open side flounced with handsome pearl buttons. Patch pocket. $3 value. Sale price 98c

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More Than 500 Dozen
Men's Neckwear
Reductions of ½ & More

There are scarfs of handsome colors, plain and in combinations, of excellent quality, made by the best manufacturers in America and abroad. To clean up our odd and broken lots before stocktaking, July 31, we have made these big reductions. Men will enthuse over such offerings.

95c *Four-in-Hands*—Made of Imported silks. Sale price... **45c**

2.00, 2.50 & 3.00 *Imported and Domestic. Crochet Four-in-Hands..* **1.00**

35c & 45c *Open End Four-in-Hands*—Broken lots. Sale price..... **12½c**

1.50 *Lisle Gauntlets*—Suede palm. Sale price.....75c

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Jordan Marsh Company

The circulation of the AMERICAN is 300,000 more than its next highest competitor and 100,000 more than all the other evening papers of Boston combined.

REBELS DRIVEN BACK IN BATTLE OF SHANGHAI

SHANGHAI, July 25.—In one of the fiercest battles of the present revolutionary movement, the southern rebels were driven back after making repeated assaults on the Shanghai arsenal.

The rebels fought like savages. Their ranks were greatly thinned by the shells of the loyal troops. Scores of dead and wounded were left on the battlefield.

After they were driven back the rebels massed out of range of the government shells and are strengthening their forces for another attack on the arsenal.

Seven of the southern provinces joined the movement against the government today.

Ten thousand troops left Canton today to fight the Northern army.

One of the principal officials here asserts that there are millions of dollars in the treasury and that the revolutionaries will be able to carry on the campaign for a long time. He declared that the Japanese were lending money to sustain the movement against Pekin and were assisting in other ways. The official said the Southerners had anticipated Provisional President Yuan Shi Kai in securing Japanese support by promising the Manchu soldiers that they would be given freedom to return to Manchuria.

Mrs. Bryan Puts Up Pickles and Fruit

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Like the loyal helpmeet that she is, Mrs. William Jennings Bryan is today on her way to her home in Lincoln, where she will preserve fruits and berries and make pickles to help her husband keep the wolf from the door.

BOY KILLED BY BRICK NAMES A PLAYMATE

The police today investigated the death of twelve-year-old John J. Sweeney, who died at his home, No. 51 Judson street, Roxbury, from injuries he is said to have received when struck in the head with a brick in the hands of a playmate. The police were given the name of the lad who was accused by young Sweeney in a deathbed statement. This statement was made to Daniel Sweeney, father of the dead boy:

"I was in the Dacia street playground, playing with several boys, when one of them put some blueing on my face and then hit me in the back of the head with a brickbat."

Medical Examiner Leary performed an autopsy today. The police were told by some of the boy's chums that he fell from a piazza Tuesday.

Young Sweeney's death was unusually pathetic. His mother, who is heartbroken today, sat by his bed, holding his hand. About midnight the boy tightened his grasp on her hand. She bent down and kissed him. He opened his eyes—then became unconscious. He was dead when Dr. Joseph L. Sullivan reached the house.

"My son attended St. John's Parochial School," said the boy's father today. "He was about playing yesterday, but complained of frequent headaches ever since he was hit.

"Last night I told him I would get the doctor. He told me not to do so.

"'I'll be better in the morning, and then he can come if you think I need him, father,' he told me.

"My wife sat up with him and was by his side when he died."

Unhurt by 40-Foot Fall.

Emil Jonnson of No. 50 Newcomb place, Quincy, fell forty feet today from the protected deck of the U. S. S. Nevada, under construction at the Fore River works to the ground. He picked himself up unhurt.

MRS. ELIZABETH EMERY, formerly the wife of Victor D. Papineau. She has given up the struggle for the custody of her seven-year-old son.

Strangest Things Society People Ever Did.

In the Summer Resort Section of next Sunday's AMERICAN.

NEW ROMANCE FOR EX-WIFE OF PAPINEAU

A strangely romantic touch, with an element of mystery, is given today to the life story of Elizabeth F. Chase, the Webster heiress who divorced Victor D. Papineau eight months ago, in the news that she has remarried and has given up her battle for the custody of her son, seven-year-old George Tracy Papineau.

The former Mrs. Papineau, a gifted and beautiful girl, is now Mrs. Elizabeth E. Emery, and she is living quietly with her husband in Medford.

It is said that Mrs. Emery—who is the daughter of Frederick B. Chase, the rich Webster manufacturer, and will inherit his $4,000,000 fortune—married for the second time a few days ago.

Mrs. Emery's secret came to light with the filing of her withdrawal in the Worcester Probate Court from the fight for the custody of her seven-yearold child by her first husband. She signed this withdrawal as Mrs. Elizabeth E. Emery.

Four Ministers in Walking Tour

Carrying canteens filled with water, and clad in khaki suits, four Episcopal ministers of Greater Boston set out today upon a walking tour through the White Mountains. The ministers are: Rev. George A. Barrow, Ph. D., rector of St. Luke's Church, Chelsea; Rev. K. R. Forbes, rector of St. Mary's Church, East Boston; Rev. Frederick Reeve of St. John's Church, Roxbury, and Rev. L. K. Smith, vicar of Grace Church, South Boston.

May Send U. S. Steel Men to Germany

Secretary of Commerce Redfield Plans to Study Krupp Works.

PITTSBURGH, July 25.—Trained steel men in the employ of the United States will be sent into the Rhine Valley of Germany, the home of the great Krupp works, to study German methods, if Pittsburgh steel manufacturers say the word. This assurance was given manufacturers by Secretary of Commerce W. C. Redfield.

"First and foremost," he said, "is the necessity to have the people understand that this department is for them and for the advancement of the ideas that will bring a greater degree of prosperity to the people as a whole. We wish all persons in business to consult with us, give us the benefit of their experience, make suggestions to us and make requisition on us for whatever investigation or help is necessary."

Walsh Chief Guest at Club Clam Bake

The annual clam bake and outing of the Island Club of Marblehead took place today at Tinkers Island. Lieutenant-Governor David I. Walsh was the guest of honor. Among the invited guests were Judge R. W. Irwin of the Superior Court, Judge Charles M. Bruce of the Malden Municipal Court, Judge Edward C. Griffin, James R. Carroll of Springfield, Morgan McSweeney of Salem, Edward Wallace, Edward Higgins of Lynn, Frank Hathaway, Arthur Bourne, ex-register of the Essex County Probate Court; J. F. Williams and Representative J. G. Surtiss.

Fore River Co. Will Build Emery Boats

The Fore River Shipbuilding Company today signed a contract to construct two general cargo steamers for J. S. Emery & Co., ship brokers of No. 114 State street. The new ships will be 400 feet long and the contract involves over a million dollars.

CLOTHING IS HEADLESS SEA TRAGEDY CLEW

All hope of ever solving the mystery surrounding the slaying of the richly clad young woman, whose headless body was found in the water off George's Banks by Captain Charles White of the fishing schooner Jennie Gilbert, on July 10, rests on the possible identification of the body from Captain White's description of the clothing.

This was admitted by the police today after a fruitless search of the records of steamship companies in Boston, New York and other ports along the Atlantic coast, including those in Canada, for the name of a young woman, missing from a vessel at sea, whose description might answer that of the body.

Captain White made the mistake of burying the clothing when he cast the torso of the young women back into the sea and the only clew the police have is his description of the body and apparel. According to Captain White, the body was clad in a black silk shirtwaist, black underskirt of silk, black silk stockings, high black button shoes and white underwear, all of fine quality.

The remnants of a green silk skirt encircled her waist. The rest of the skirt had apparently been torn from her body.

Beveridge Browses in Hub Book Shops

Former Senator Beveridge, in a few hours' stay in Boston, said his visit had no political significance, but that he had motored from Dublin, N. H., to meet a family friend and browse in the book stores.

CAPTURE NORTH SHORE MOTOR BOAT PIRATE

The Beverly police have captured the North Shore motor boat pirate.

John Strobeck, twenty-two, of No. 21 Thorndike street, Salem, under arrest, admits he is the man.

He is charged with robbing motor boats along the shore of machinery and fittings, and the police say when they searched his home they found enough accessories to make half a dozen motor boats from the keel up. He was held, pending identification of the stolen parts.

Strobeck was in his own motor boat when he was arrested, but the engine of his own boat had been recently stolen from another craft.

What Women Tell Us About

Holeproof Hose

"Do you know, I bought a box of 'Holeproofs' a year ago last October. Wear them constantly—not a hole yet."

Men's $1.50 to $3
Women's $2 and $3
Children's $2

Box 6 Prs.—Guaranteed 6 Mos.
Sole Agents

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(Established 1850)

FORMERLY AT PARK SQUARE—NOW LOCATED AT

22-24-26-28 HIGH STREET

Between Federal and Summer, Near South Station

A complete line of old Ports, Sherries, Brandies, Scotch Whiskies, Rums, Vintage and Non-Vintage Champagnes, Vintage Clarets, Sauternes, Burgundies, Rhine and Moselle Wines; also Imported and Domestic Gins and Cordials.

SOLE PROPRIETORS OF THE FAMOUS

Miller's Gamecock, "King of All Whiskies."

EVERY MEN'S TWO-PIECE

SUIT

IN OUR STORE REDUCED TO

$7.50

These suits sold for $20, $18, $15—and a few as low as $12—But no matter what the prices **were yesterday—now** they're all $7.50—and no such values were ever offered before—perhaps never will be again.

In this collection you'll see beautiful light colorings in cool, summery fabrics, such as cassimeres, mohairs and tropical worsteds—half lined, quarter lined and not lined at all—styles enough to please all. We've priced them to fly out, and they'll surely do that at $7.50—so come and get yours.

Since 1876 The House of Value

Vorenberg's

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If It's at Morse's, It's Correct
If It's Correct, It's at Morse's

Leopold Morse Co.

Two-Piece Outing Suits

$9.00 and $12.50

Former Prices $10, $12, $15, $17.50 and $20

Our entire stock, comprising nearly two thousand suits—blue serges, crashes, homespuns—grouped at two prices for quick selling.

They're Morse-Made, new this season, and at **$9.00** and **$12.50** give you more real, intrinsic value than you have ever been able to get at such low cost.

Special Sale of Shirts

Pure Silk and Silk and Linen

$1.95 Three for $5.50

Worth $3.00 and $4.00

Sizes 14 to 17½ in coat models, with soft turnback cuffs. Handsome patterns in extremely tasteful color effects. A sale that is as unusual for the quality of the shirts as it is remarkable for the lowness of the price.

Men's Low Shoes Marked Down

Bench-Made $5.00 Shoes, now **$3.95**
Morse Special $4.50 Shoes, now **$3.35**
Special Values in **Rubber Soled Shoes** for vacation wear, at **$1.25** to **$4.50**

Every Straw Hat in the store has been given a decisive price-cut.

Here's the event that is a fitting climax to the most successful series of summer sales that we have ever held.

Beginning today we are giving

$5.00 Off

On Every Grade in Our Entire Stock of

2300 Blue Serge Suits

Your Choice Is Unrestricted

This means you buy our **$30.00 Suits for $25.00**
This means you buy our **$25.00 Suits for $20.00**
This means you buy our **$20.00 Suits for $15.00**
This means you buy our **$17.50 Suits for $12.50**
This means you buy our **$15.00 Suits for $10.00**
This means you buy our **$12.00 Suits for $7.00**

Boys' Blue Serge Suits

¼ Off Regular Prices

Norfolks and double-breasted styles, with bloomer trousers—sizes 6 to 18 years. They're all new this season—some of them with weight enough to wear all through the Fall.

Boys' $10.00 Blue Serge Suits, now . . . $7.50
Boys' $8.00 Blue Serge Suits, now . . . $6.00
Boys' $6.50 Blue Serge Suits, now . . . $4.88
Boys' $5.00 Blue Serge Suits, now . . . $3.75

Men's and Boys' Bathing Suits At Reduced Prices

Every suit in our stock is marked down—one and two-piece styles—cotton and fine wool worsted fabrics, all colors, many fancy effects.

$3.50 Bathing Suits, now . . . $2.95
$3.00 Bathing Suits, now . . . $2.65
$2.00 Bathing Suits, now . . . $1.65
$1.50 Bathing Suits, now . . . $1.15
$1.00 Bathing Suits, now . . . 79c

Pure Silk Hose

35c Three Pair for $1.00

50c Quality

Silk striped patterns, in assorted colors, accordion effects, in ten different color combinations. Sizes 9½ to 11½ among the lot.

See our special window displays of Neckwear at reduced prices.

The fabrics are from the same mills that have supplied us with our serges with such complete satisfaction for the last six seasons.

We guarantee every suit to be all wool and fast color.

The tailoring gives emphatic evidence of the superiority of Morse-Made Clothes—a superiority that is demonstrated—not claimed—by our 61-year-old reputation for reliability as the leading clothing house in New England.

The styles are exactly what young men and their elders are favoring for present wear. Whether you are a radical or a conservative in matters of dress, you will find the style you want among these blue serge suits.

NOTE THIS!
Until further notice our store will close Saturdays at 6 P. M.

Leopold Morse Co.
ADAMS SQUARE

NOTE THIS!
Until further notice our store will close Saturdays at 6 P. M.

Open Saturdays till 10 P. M.

Georges

Washington and Franklin Sts., Boston

WHY MY SALES ARE SUCCESSFUL

THE GROWTH OF THE GEORGES STORES is a direct result of our policy of doing a maximum volume of business at a minimum profit on individual sales. **"Keep busy always"**—is the order lived up to every day in the year in each of my five big stores, and the moment conditions cause a let-up in the daily selling at any time of the year, I have always found that a **legitimate price reduction sale** keeps the business up to the point desired.

I am not hampered as those merchants are who are **forced to fix staple prices** on **trade marked** or **magazine advertised clothes.** When we conduct a clearance sale, such as this, we can and do sell at whatever reduced prices we see fit. **Georges Model Clothes** for men and young men are built in the best equipped tailoring shops in New York, are distinctive from and one year in advance of "ready-mades" and are sold **direct to the wearer**—without any **extra profits** for either manufacturer or middleman.

AND SO TODAY, I ABSOLUTELY DEFY ALL COMPETITION, AND URGE YOU TO MAKE ACTUAL COMPARISONS IN THIS, MY

ANNUAL SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

GEORGES MODEL NORFOLKS
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

7.50 Regular $15 Values

The leading tailors of New York are advocating the Norfolk Coats and Trousers and the best dressers are wearing them. All signs point to their continued popularity this Fall. Notwithstanding the fact that there have been numerous special sales of Norfolks in other stores—

I CLAIM THESE VALUES TO BE THE BEST EVER OFFERED IN THIS OR ANY OTHER CITY.

Values up to $15 now $7.50. Values up to $20 now $9.50. Values up to $25 now $12.50.

These include all the belted, box pleated and patch pocket styles.

TWO AND THREE-PIECE SUITS
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

7.50 Regular $15.00 Values

9.50 Regular $16.50 Values

Georges latest 2 and 3 button Models. Velours, homespuns, medium and tropical weight worsteds, cassimeres and flannels. In both staple and novelty patterns in all the newest colorings. Staple blue and black serges included. Skeleton, half or full lined. Clearance Sale prices **$7.50** and **$9.50** for regular $15 and $16.50 values.

ENGLISH MODEL SACK SUITS
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

12.50 Regular $20 Values

Now in demand among discriminating men and young men. Models having the soft roll fronts, narrow shoulders, high cut vests and shaped trousers. These come in every wanted material in club checks, shepherd plaids, neat pin stripe and chalk line effects. Blues, grays or black.

ALTERATIONS WHEN NECESSARY MADE FREE

OUTING TROUSERS *(Main Floor)*
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

2.50 To $5

In proportion to our sales in this department, we carry **the largest stock in New England.** No matter what your build is you can be fitted here. Flannels and tropical weight worsteds. Plain white, cream and grays. Also stripe and check effects. All sizes, 28 to 46 regulars, and from 38 to 48 stouts. $4, $5, $6 and $8 qualities. Clearance sale prices **$2.50** to **$5.00.**

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BOSTON GIRLS EAGER TO WAR UPON MASHERS

Boston women, and especially Boston girls, are enthusiastic over the plan for a "Smash the Masher Club."

This club is proposed for the extinction of the masher, that odious specimen of man (?) which ogles, annoys, and even deliberately speaks to self-respecting women and girls.

The club was suggested by Charlotte Smith, the friend of the working girl. The AMERICAN'S description of its plans brought instantly commendation and even letters. One woman, a young matron of West Roxbury, writes to praise the club movement and to tell how she routed a would-be masher. Her letter reads as follows:

Editor AMERICAN:

Reading in Thursday's AMERICAN of the proposal "Smash the Masher Club," I would say that I am most heartily in favor of the movement and of women carrying canes to beat mashers and whistles to call policemen, as Mrs. Charlotte Smith suggests.

Let me relate an experience I had returning one evening from a call upon one of my women friends. My husband was detained at his office and, after supper, I went over to this friend's house in a trolley car, leaving there at 8:30 o'clock. There was no car in sight and I started to walk.

"He Tipped His Hat to Me."

There were plenty of people passing me, so I was not afraid. But, like any self-respecting woman out alone in the evening, I walked right along, not glancing in a pointed way at people and certainly not seeking to attract the attention of any man.

A young man came out of a corner drug store and stared at me just as I passed. I kept on and was conscious of his following me. I was walking rapidly and knew, from the regularity of his footsteps that he must be keeping right behind me.

Two blocks ahead I had to pass a building where the street light fell so that there was a shadow over the sidewalk. There this man contrived to catch up with me. Just as he was passing he turned, faced me and deliberately lifted his hat, smiled and said, "Good evening."

I don't know now how I had the courage to do it. Usually I would scream if a strange man spoke to me on the street in this unwarranted way. But I had my mesh bag purse in my hand, one which my husband gave me last Christmas. It is a heavy purse, and I happened to have about $2 in halves and quarters in it and a little pocket mirror. The whole, with the mesh bag and its framework, made quite a substantial little weight.

"I Swung the Mesh Bag."

Well, I just swung that mesh bag and its contents up against that masher's face and caught him right smack across the mouth. It cut his lip, for I saw blood come.

He swore, clapped one hand to his mouth and stopped right short.

I didn't say a word but hurried right along, rather scared at what I had done.

But he deserved it. I wish I had hit him harder. If I had had a cane or an umbrella, I would have whacked him good. But the mesh-bag did pretty well.

I have told some of my women friends and they relate similar annoyance from men. Some of them say a woman is justified in using her fist on a man's face, but a cane or umbrella is better and you don't hurt yourself.

I hope that this movement is organized into a definite club, and I should like, for one, to become a charter member. MRS. C. S. L.

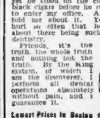
West Roxbury.

Victim of Politics, Says Mrs. Young

CHICAGO, July 25.—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, Chicago's $10,000 woman superintendent of schools, has resigned declaring that she has been made the victim of a political intrigue by members of the School Board, and that under the circumstances the efficiency of the schools might be impaired by her retention of the office.

Curtis Again Seeks Recall of Hurley

Herman F. Curtis of Salem, who is seeking the recall of Mayor Hurley and two other officials of that city, today sent a letter to the Salem city council asking that the city furnish him papers on which he can secure signatures. Curtis first sought the recall petition paper from the Salem city clerk, who replied that he had no such paper in stock.



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IF I HURT YOU DON'T PAY ME

"Never saw anything like it. You are ONE dentist that really delivers the goods. I've been hurt worse in a barber's chair than you hurt me. Not a particle of pain."

ONE PRICE TO ALL

A man had read my ads, and being attracted by their straightforward, direct, truthful tone, had decided to give me a trial, and he stood on the corner and smoked two black cigars before he could raise the courage to enter my office. After the operation he told me about it. You see he had been hurt so often that he was still skeptical about there being such a thing as painless dentistry.

Painless, it's the only term which truly and honestly tells the whole truth and nothing but the truth. By the Kling system, of which I am the discoverer, I perform all dental operations absolutely without pain, and I guarantee it.

Lowest Prices in Boston for Highest Grade Work

Porcelain and 22k Gold Crowns as low as	$3	Bridgework as low as	$4
		Sets Teeth, worth $15,	$4
Restoration Tooth (without plate), my own invention, as low as	$5	Our Special Natural Gum Teeth, as low as	$8
		Fillings as low as	50c

Painless Extracting Free
Free Booklet. Phone Up, 3760

Dr. T. J. King 507 Washington St. Opp. Hayward Pl.

ATTACKING THE "MASHER"

This picture shows method of repulsing offender by wielding cane with short-arm swing.

Vincent Astor Has a Knack for Detail

Holds Saturday Conference with Army of Farm Employes.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 25.—Since becoming master of Ferncliff, Vincent Astor has adopted various means of getting in close touch with the army of employes on the big estate, and has made a careful study of how to manage the extensive acreage.

With a view to gaining a more intimate acquaintance with the men who toil to make the Ferncliff estate the beauty spot of the Hudson, Mr. Astor has appointed Saturday morning of each week as the time when any employe may meet him and discuss matters pertaining to the work. Most of the employes take kindly to the new order.

Neponset to Have City Band Concert

The Municipal Band will give a concert tonight at the Neponset playground, Neponset avenue, Ward Twenty-four. The program will be:

March, "Messenger Gaden".....Wannemacher
Selection, "The Pink Lady".....Caryll
Overture, "Orpheus".....Offenbach
(A Request Number).
Bouquet of Popular Songs.....Lampe
Selection from "Martha".....Flotow
The Allen Fantasia.....Bielefeld
Finale, selected.
"The Star Spangled Banner."

Roxbury Girl Won Husband at Whist

Miss Marion A. Chesley of No. 60 Bartlett street, Roxbury, and Arthur D. Hudley of New York are speeding toward Atlantic City, N. J., today as the result of their holding winning hands at a military whist two years ago. It was their first meeting.

Stefansson's Ship Safe.

NOME, Alaska, July 25.—The gasoline schooner Alaska, the second ship of Stefansson's Canadian polar expedition, for which fears were felt, has reached Port Clarence safely after a trying experience in the storm which swept Behring Sea.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

KEEP THIS AD. It's Worth $1.00

Any new patient presenting this ad. will receive $1 Worth of work to demonstrate that you may have your teeth filled, crowned or extracted without the least pain. This places you under no obligation to have more than the dollar's worth of work.

$3 Best Bridge Work $3 Per Tooth

Pure 22k Gold Crowns $3
Work Guaranteed 10 Years. NOTE

TRADE MARK

A scientifically constructed rootless plate. Gives lasting comfort and satisfaction, anchored firmly by 3 suctions. Doesn't drop. Easy to remove. Hygienic. So natural in appearance that it cannot be detected. DAILY DEMONSTRATIONS. PATIENTS shown and demonstrated FREE.

We extract your old teeth in the morning and give you your new teeth the same day. No charge for extracting when plates are ordered. Lady attendant.

Gold Fillings $1.00 up. Silver Fillings 50c.

Full Set of Teeth $5
Best rot rubber thin red
Gold Tooth Free on Plates

A. DR. HEWSON
895 Washington St., Boston.
Hrs. 8:30 to 6. Sat. till 9. Sun. 9 to 1.

WHY WORK IN THE DARK? WHY USE AN ADDING-COMPUTING-LISTING MACHINE WHICH HIDES ITS WORK? WHY OPERATE ONE WHICH IS SLOW INACCURATE HIT OR MISS AND SHORT LIVED - WHY PAY FANCY PRICES FOR EXTRAS

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WHEN IS THE SAME PRICE YOU CAN BUY THE FASTEST ACCURATE COMPTOGRAPH WHICH ALWAYS IN PLAIN SIGHT GREATEST SPEED, HAND OR MOTOR DRIVEN, EXCLUSIVE PATENTED FEATURES RAPID END LOCK, AUTOMATIC PAPER RE-TWIN, SELECTION COPPER CUTOUT-FLEXIBLE KEYBOARD. LET THE COMPTOGRAPH TELL ITS OWN STORY. FREE TRIAL FOR THE ASKING

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$3.50 MEN'S PANTS $1.98

Harrison's Great Mark Down Sale.

All styles and colors, including blue serges; greatest values ever seen; $5 and $6 white flannel and pencil striped French flannels at $2. S. H. Harrison Co., 662-672 Washington Street, corner Beach.—*Adv.*

Olga's Letter on Way; All Out on Box 223

Chief Engineer A. L. Litchfield of the Quincy fire department doesn't care how many letters Olga, who has just arrived in the City of Presidents, writes her sweetheart in Sweden. But he prefers she wouldn't write on the day he plans to attend the ladies' day of the Quincy Yacht Club—or if she must, he doesn't want her to put the sender inactive in Box 223.

When the drivers of the combination auto engine and chemical, the hose wagon and the hook and ladder truck had spoken extemporaneously, someone put Olga's letter in a green box.

Phelan & Steptoe

STRAW HAT SALE

Sennit and Split Straw Hats. For quick sale, NOW **95c**

Were $2.50 and $2.00

$3.50 & $3 Straws, Now $1.85
$3 & $2.50 Straws, Now $1.45
$4.00 Fine Straws, Now $2.15

PANAMAS

Were $6, $8, $10, $12

Now Selling at

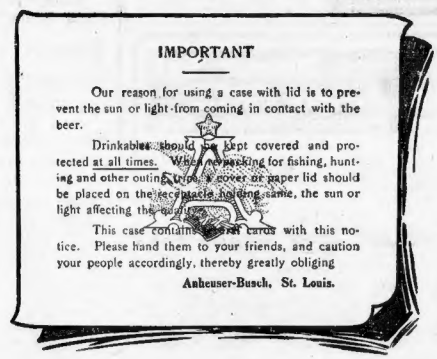
$3.95, $4.95, $5.95, $6.95

Outing Caps—Were $1.50 and $1.00, Now **85c**

PHELAN & STEPTOE

38 and 42 Boylston Street
Next to Hotel Touraine Open Evs.

Light Can't Harm Schlitz in Brown Bottles



IMPORTANT

Our reason for using a case with lid is to prevent the sun or light from coming in contact with the beer.

Drinkables should be kept covered and protected at all times. When picnicking for fishing, hunting and other outing trips, a cover or paper lid should be placed on the receptacle holding same, the sun or light affecting the beer.

This case contains no beer cards with this notice. Please hand them to your friends, and caution your people accordingly, thereby greatly obliging

Anheuser-Busch, St. Louis.

Read that "Budweiser" card again

It concedes our claims — light bottles do not protect the beer from the damaging effects of sun or light.

Light starts decay even in pure beer.

Schlitz in Brown Bottles is made pure and then kept pure from the brewery to your glass.

Tell your friends.

Phones So. Boston 730-731
Jos. Gahm & Son
340-350 C St., So. Boston

Schlitz
The Beer That Made Milwaukee Famous.

NEXT TIME HE SWIMS HE WILL GUARD CLOTHES

Edwin Mann of No. 145 Princeton street, East Boston, won't leave his clothes helpless and unguarded on a wharf the next time he goes swimming.

The last time he did it he didn't get his clothing back for hours, and his money looked literally "like thirty cents."

Mann left his raiment on McQuesten's wharf, enjoyed a swim and came out. No clothes.

"Must be the wrong wharf," said Mann. It was no place for a minister's son or any other man's son in the brief costume Mann had on then, so he climbed himself in the water and swam from wharf to wharf, seeking his garments. Toward evening a friend saw him and said:

"Hey, Ed, didj'e hear about the suicide? They found his duds on McQuesten's wharf."

"Those are my clothes," yelled Mann. "I'm no suicide. Somebody took 'em. Where are they?"

"Up at East Boston police station," said the friend. "Wait and I'll get 'em."

Lieutenant John Clark was wondering who the suicide was when Mann's friend burst in and told about Mann waiting in a watery overcoat for his clothing.

The cruellest part was when Mann searched his pockets for the $10.30 he had at the start. The $10 was gone. The thirty cents remained, with this note:

"Here is thirty cents for carfare, kid."

Discovers Cure for Infantile Paralysis

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 25.—Dr. Irvin Magee of Venice, Cal., has announced that he has discovered a cure for infantile par ysis. Dr. Magee says he uses a subcuneous injection of n glycerine camulsion before the paralysis stage is reached.

Boston Women Who Have Made Good
NO. 4.—CAPTAIN GEORGIA ORNE

Captain Georgia Orne is a woman who has made good in a profession quite out of the ordinary field of woman's activity.

She is a skipper and has sailed the schooner Hiram along the Maine coast when the wind was whistling in the rigging and the waves dashing high over the bowsprit.

Captain Georgia Orne is now in Boston waiting for a cargo of lumber to be unloaded. The Hiram is an old boat, built ninety-four years ago, and carries the same anchor, with an immense big wooden stock, that she had in 1819, the year she was launched.

Last year Captain Orne took the Hiram from East Rockland to Eastport, Me. She was in full command, as her husband had charge of another schooner. Captain Georgia not only held the title, but spent the time when she was relieved in cooking for the crew and making the cabin livable.

One of Small Group.

She is one of a very small group of women who have succeeded as ship captains. There are plenty of young women along the New England coast who know much about yachting and can sail up into the wind as close as any old salt, but there are few who can direct a crew of grown men, get discipline from them, see that her ship is well laden for a long voyage and receive the bills of lading with perfect assurance that she will deliver her goods safe and unbroken at some distant port. This Captain Georgia has done and is willing to do it again if circumstances permit.

The qualities required for making a successful woman navigator are the same, maintains Captain Orne, as for men.

"It takes a wide and minute knowledge of the coast, the inlets, the depth of water, the harbors and the ledges. She must have a keen understanding of weather conditions and she must be able to forecast a storm with reasonable certainty. Above everything else she must possess strong nerves and a level head at times of emergency.

Takes Will and Judgment.

"There are plenty of women," she declares, "who may be able to sail a boat when there is a fair breeze, but it takes the best possible judgment and a will thoroughly under control to take a seventy-foot ship heavy with lumber through a squall with the wind beating into the sails at forty miles an hour."

In spite of the schooner's extreme age, Captain Orne is proud of her and believes the boat is good for many more trips between the coast of Maine and Boston.

On the present trip James Orne, husband to Georgia, has been in charge, but he knows that if he is taken sick or otherwise indisposed his wife can step to the rudder and steer the ship into safety.

Miss Lillian Horne, the fifteen-year-old daughter of Skipper Orne, is a regular passenger on the Hiram, and is already able to handle the tiller when occasion calls for it.

Marie Howard tells of a storm that blew up from the northeast catching the Hiram in a critical position at the entrance of Starboard Creek on the Maine shore. Howard describes the scene:

"Captain Orne was compelled to rush forward to help the crew raise the sails while the tiller was left in the hands of Lillian, who steered the schooner safely into the open, while the waves literally covered the deck until little of it was in sight."

Miss Lillian is learning to cook as well as to sail ships.

LINE UP FORCES FOR NAVAL WAR ON STABLE YARD

The next engagement in the "Navy Yard-Stable Yard War" will be fought Monday noon on the time-honored battle field of the United States District Court. The opposing forces are as follows:

FOR THE STABLE YARD:

General J. P. O'Riorden, with headquarters in O'Riorden's stable, next to Charlestown Navy Yard.

O'Riorden's Cavalry of eighty horses.

Boston Board of Health, which gave General O'Riorden a permit to keep horses in his stable.

Odors, flies, squeals, etc., etc., alleged to emanate from said stable, to the annoyance and distress of the Navy Yard.

FOR THE NAVY YARD:

Commandant C. DeWitt Coffman and the entire Navy Yard force, down to the latest marine.

Assistant United States District Attorney W. H. Garland, campaigner on many a hard-fought legal battle field.

Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels of North Carolina.

The first skirmish came off at the United States District Court, where Assistant United States District Attorney Garland fired a broadside by applying for an injunction to restrain General O'Riorden from keeping his cavalry next to the Navy Yard. Judge Dodge told the contestants to bring all their legal ammunition to the field Monday noon when the battle will be fought out.

Lady Lever Is Dead.

LONDON, July 25.—Lady Lever, wife of Sir William Lever, died of pneumonia after a few days' illness.

Act on Hawthorne Release at Once

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Attorney-General McReynolds declared today that he will consider the recommendation of the Federal Parole Board for the parole of Julian Hawthorne and Dr. William J. Morton of Boston from Atlanta prison, at the earliest possible moment. Although both men would be released in September, it is believed that they will leave the prison within a few days.

Women Cause Vote Failure, Says Anti

"Because women have failed in their task of educating men," declared Mrs. A. J. George at the Parish House, Falmouth, "they are incompetent to assume the duties and responsibilities of suffrage.

"It is no answer to say that the men have failed," she said. "If they are doing so poorly, what shall we say of the women who have trained them? We have made the men what they are."

Free Animal Clinic Will Open Monday

The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will open Monday, the first free animal dispensary in New England. Free clinics will be held at No. 78 Central street. The dispensary is to be in charge of Dr. F. J. Finnegan, veterinarian for the M. S. P. C. A., and Dr. D. L. Bolger of Cambridge. Dogs, cats and birds will be treated, as well as horses.

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Just the thing for family customers.

No. 1. 8 Cans Peas, 8 Cans Corn, 8 Cans Beans — $2.10

No. 2. 12 Cans Tomatoes, 4 Cans Spinach, 4 Cans Beets, 4 Cans Squash — $2.90

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In the prices of every pair of shoes we have on hand
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Some of the Bargains

Men's Waldorf $3.00 Oxfords 1.47 | Rector Men's Oxfords, $4 val. 1.97

Men's and Women's $5 Values Tan Calf Oxfords, with rubber soles, the sensation of the season, now selling at 2.47

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WALDORF
Highest class of the Waldorf workmanship in this cutout. It is made to retail at the best stores for $3.00 and $2.50. Lace and button. For women and grown girls. This sale

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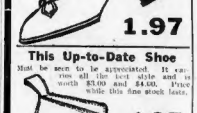
97c

High Button Boot, Just what everybody is crazy for. A positive $3.50 value. Sale price 2.47

GUN METAL PUMPS
From the Waldorf's fine stock. Latest fad lasters. Made to sell for $3.00. Sale price

1.97



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Must be seen to be appreciated. It carries all the best style and is worth $3.00 and $4.00. Price while this fine stock lasts.

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Quantities are getting smaller, but the variety is still large.

$15 Blue Serges $10.50
Together with plenty of the season's newest and most desirable fancy patterns. All $15 Suits....

$20 Club Checks $14.50
Neatest and most popular gray checks, plain grays and blue serges. All $20 Suits now.....

All $22.50 Suits now . $17.50 | $25 & $30 Suits now . $19.50

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The Old Man Has a Wide Choice

ON MY MOBIL STEED, IN MY SPEEDFUL AUTO, HAVE I CIRCUMTERRAGATED THE LAND, UNTIL THERE BE NO MORE LANDS FOR ME TO CONQUER.
EH-HEN-
IN MY MOTOR-BOOT HAVE I CIRCUM NAVIGATED THE SEAS, UNTIL THERE BE NO MORR SEAS FOR ME TO STEER. MY BARK UPON — SO, WOT AM I GONNA DO, I ASK YOU WOMAN, WOTS LEFT FOR ME TO DO?
UHM-M-
WHY NOT CIRCUM AEROGATE THE AIRS UNTIL THERE BE NO MORE AIRS LEFT FOR YOU TO PILOT YOUR SKY BUGGY IN, THEN TRY A SUBMARINE.
SAHM DAY SAHM DAY WOMAN, YOU'LL GO TOO FAR, DA-A-AH-GUNNIT !!! THEN YOU'LL BE SORRY —
MANY THINGS I WONDER ABOUT "KRAZY".
YOU DO IGNATZ.
FOR INSTANCE, I WONDER WHY THAT LAMB FOLLOWED "MARY" TO SCHOOL.
I SUSPECK THAT LEMB OF BEING A MESHER. "IGNATZ".
MARY SHOULD NEVER HAVE PERMITTED IT

Polly and Her Pals

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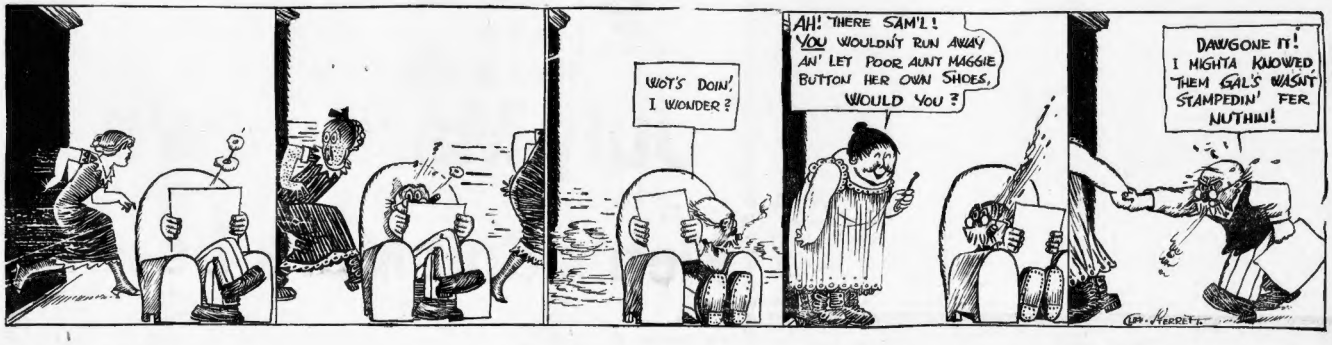
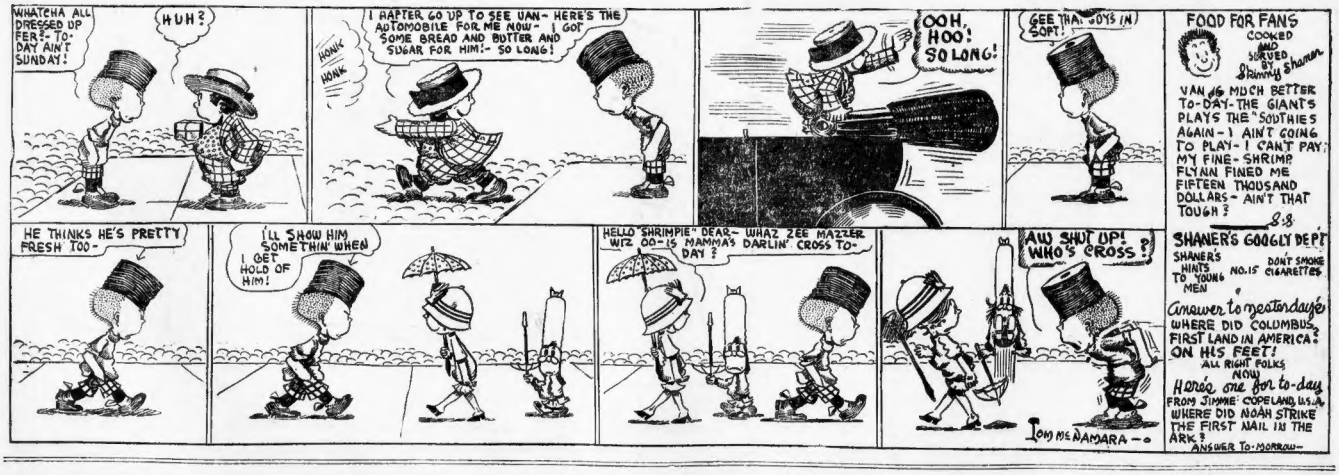
Pa Didn't Start Quick Enough


WOT'S DOIN', I WONDER?
AH! THERE SAM'L! YOU WOULDN'T RUN AWAY AN' LET POOR AUNT MAGGIE BUTTON HER OWN SHOES, WOULD YOU?
DAWGONE IT! I MIGHTA KNOWED THEM GAL'S WASN'T STAMPEDIN' FER NUTHIN!
GEO. HERRETT

Us Boys

Registered United States Patent Office

Shrimp Isn't a Bit Mad, Not a Bit


WHATCHA ALL DRESSED UP FER? TO-DAY AIN'T SUNDAY!
HUH?
I HAPTER GO UP TO SEE UAN- HERE'S THE AUTOMOBILE FOR ME NOW- I GOT SOME BREAD AND BUTTER AND SUGAR FOR HIM!- SO LONG!
HONK HONK
OOH, HOO! SO LONG!
SEE THAT BOYS IN SOP!
FOOD FOR FANS
COOKED AND SERVED BY Shrimp Shaner
VAN IS MUCH BETTER TO-DAY- THE GIANTS PLAYS THE "SOUTHIES AGAIN- I AIN'T GOING TO PLAY- I CAN'T PAY MY FINE- SHRIMP FLYAN FINED ME FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS- AIN'T THAT TOUGH?
S.S.
SHANER'S GOOGLY DEP'T
SHANER'S HINTS TO YOUNG MEN NO.15 DON'T SMOKE CIGARETTES
Answer to yesterday's WHERE DID COLUMBUS FIRST LAND IN AMERICA? ON HIS FEET! ALL RIGHT FOLKS NOW
Here's one for to-day FROM JIMMIE COPELAND, U.S.A. WHERE DID NOAH STRIKE THE FIRST NAIL IN THE ARK?
ANSWER TO-MORROW—
HE THINKS HE'S PRETTY FRESH TOO-
I'LL SHOW HIM SOMETHIN' WHEN I GET HOLD OF HIM!
HELLO SHRIMPIE DEAR- WHAZ ZEE MAZZER WIZ OO- IS MAMMA'S DARLIN' CROSS TO-DAY?
AW SHUT UP! WHO'S CROSS?
TOM McNAMARA —o

$150 REWARD FOR THE CAPTURE OF "The Girl WITH THE Green Parasol"

AT PARAGON PARK, NANTASKET, NEXT SUNDAY

Everybody is Invited to Join in this Fascinating Hunt

GO TO PARAGON PARK SUNDAY! USE YOUR EYES! EARN $150 CASH!

Suffrage Congress at Capital Aug. 15

WASHINGTON, July 25.—A congress of women, representing 4,000,000 voters, will meet in Washington August 15 to outline plans for extending the franchise to non-suffrage States. August 14 chairman Henry of the House Rules Committee, will receive a delegation, and thirty-seven members of the House will attend a suffrage banquet.

ECZEMA ON HEAD, ARMS AND FACE

Spread and Itched. Raw Surface When Scratched. On Body Would Scale Off. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured in Three Months.

Howland, Maine.—"My little daughter aged thirteen years was troubled with eczema on the head, arms and face. Some of the sores on the head were as large as a penny and one on the inside of the thigh was as large as a quarter of a dollar and that one lasted over a year. The eczema came out like a little red pimple and spread and would itch and when scratched off would be a raw surface and bleed. Then a dirty scaly scab would grow and on the head was the thickness of a thin piece of paste-board, while on the body it would scale off.

"She had this trouble nearly two years when I saw the advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment in the paper and sent for some and the very first application proved its worth. I used the Cuticura Soap with as hot water as could be borne and the Cuticura Ointment after the surface had dried. I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment about three months before she was cured." (Signed) Mrs. J. A. Eldredge, Nov. 7, 1912.

Not only are Cuticura Soap and Ointment most valuable in the treatment of eczema and other distressing eruptions of skin and scalp, but they are also most effective in the treatment of pimples, blackheads, red, rough skins, itching, scaly scalps, dandruff, dry, thin and falling hair, chapped hands and shapeless nails. Sold by druggists and dealers throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Men who shave and shampoo with Cuticura Soap will find it best for skin and scalp.

$12.50 Harko Suits $7.75

Harrison's Mark Down Sale of Their Wholesale Stock of Harko Brand Clothes at Half Price.

Every Harko suit at $12.50 now $7.75. Harko suits have never been sold for less than $12.50. Thousands to select from, made from finest all-wool fabrics. Choice of any $12.50 Harko suit $7.75. S. H. Harrison Co., 662-672 Washington, corner Beach.—*Adv't.*

REP. JOHN C. MAHONEY OF WORCESTER

Tails is a Democrat in the Legislature who believes that it is his duty to serve the New Haven Railroad before the State and his party. He disregarded the warnings of the Governor, the Railroad Commission, the Tax Commissioner, the Public Franchise League and the Chamber of Commerce, all of whom represented the best interests of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. He disregarded the warnings of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which is composed of the best experts in railroad matters in the country and represents our National government.

But he did not disregard the New Haven Railroad lobby when it demanded that over half the street railways of this Commonwealth be delivered to its tender care.

If you believe that you ought to send representatives of the New Haven Railroad to the Legislature, you will re-elect this man. If you believe that you want to be represented yourself, please send us your name and and address. It will not be published.

Pope to Aid Plan for World Peace

ROME, July 25.—Pope Pius X., who a few months ago was believed to be on his deathbed, today was busily engaged in the preparation of a plea for international peace which he intends to be the most important of his pontifical reign.

The encyclical will be formally issued on August 9, the tenth anniversary of the holy father's installation as successor to the late Pope Leo XIII.

The document will contain an urgent plea summoning the Catholic church everywhere to a world-wide effort for permanent international peace. It will call on the archbishops and bishops to begin the propaganda immediately, and will instruct the delegates to those governments diplomatically related to the Vatican to make formal representations to the sovereigns of those nations, urging their participation in the movement for universal peace.

Cornell Club "Wash."

The Cornell Club of New England holds its "annual wash"—otherwise, its "Fourth Splash," and still otherwise, its fourth annual outing, at Pemberton Inn tomorrow.

Suspend Rail Rates on Chairs to Boston

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Advances in rates on butter and cheese from points in Delaware and New Jersey over the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad to New York points were suspended by the Interstate Commerce Commission today until January 20, 1914. Advanced rates on chairs from Madison, N. C., over the Norfolk & Western Railroad to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston were suspended until January 20, 1914.

Business Notice.

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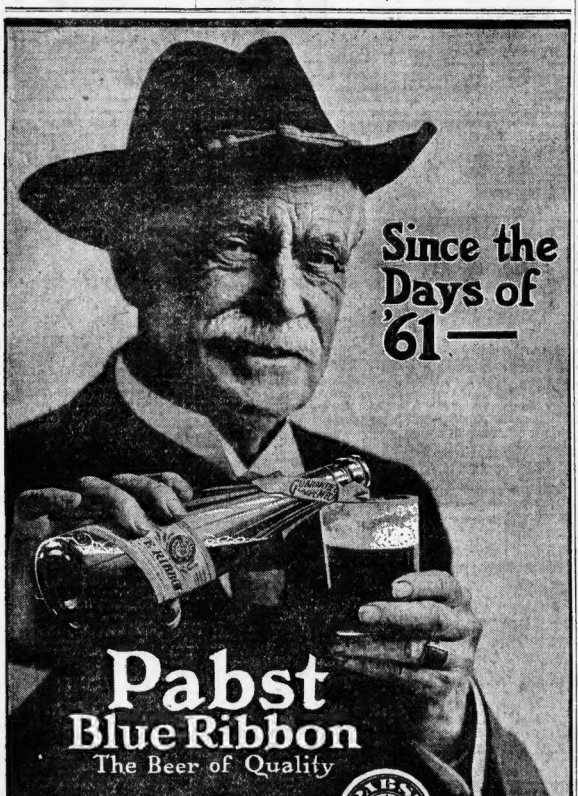
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher



TWO ICE MEN SACRIFICE CASH TO HELP PUBLIC

Two ice dealers in a single day have taken action showing a loyalty to their patrons believed to be unexampled in the business. The methods of the Ice Trust in Providence were protested against by President F. P. Comstock of the Providence Ice Company, who sent in his resignation when the directors voted to boost the price against the consumers.

At the same time F. B. French of Milford, N. H., rejected the offer of Boston ice dealers, who wanted to buy his entire supply at an additional profit to him of about $5,000.

"I could use the money," admitted Mr. French, "but I should feel it was gained at the sacrifice of my self-respect if I forced my customers of twenty-five years' standing to go without ice."

The high price of ice in Providence was recently the cause of an investigation by the City Council, which severely condemned the company.

Mr. Comstock in resigning said: "I have always believed an ice company is a public service corporation, and that it should consider the needs of a community as well as its profits."

What Do You Know About the Ice Trust?

If you have information of any ice trust;

If you know of any undue raise in price or unjust discrimination on the part of any ice dealer;

If you know anything of a combination to raise or maintain prices or to divide territory

Send your statement of facts to the Editor, the Boston AMERICAN, Boston, Mass.

Cancer Treatment at Cost of $65,000

BERLIN, July 25.—It cost $65,000 to find two cancer patients here with Dr. Otto Hahn's mesothorium preparation. Breslau philanthropists collected that sum, which was sufficient only to purchase one gram of Hahn's cure, each case requiring half a gram. The preparation is derived from thorium earth, the same substance that is used in the manufacture of incandescent gas mantles.

TWO LODGEMEN ELECTROCUTED AT INITIATION

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 25.—The police today were investigating the deaths by electrocution of two candidates for membership in the Loyal Order of Moose, who died during the initiation last night. Donald A. Kenney, president of the local chauffeurs' union, and Christopher Gustin, an iron moulder, were strong young men and physicians today said there was some doubt whether they were electrocuted or frightened to death.

More than 150 members of the lodge were present at the initiation. Several other candidates had passed all the ceremonies and Kenny and Gustin were prepared for the "Branding." A metal emblem of the order was made red hot while they looked on. Their chests were bared and both candidates were blindfolded. A magneto was attached to one leg of each candidate and a chilled rubber emblem was pressed against their chests, while an electric current was completed by a small wire touching their shoulders. Both men fainted. The lodge members thought they were "Playing possum" and the presiding officer did not stop the initiation until it was seen that the two men were dying. No arrests were made.

Grand Trunk Ready to Enter Providence

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 25.—As a result of the Southern New England Railway stating that it is ready to go ahead with the laying of rails along the harbor front when the authorities define the grade it is believed that the entire project may be completed before the charter expires July 1, 1915.

The Comfort and Economy of Tourist Sleeping Cars in Traveling to the Pacific Coast

I would like to explain to you just what a Tourist Sleeping Car is, what conveniences and comforts they have, and how you can save money by joining one of our personally conducted parties which go through to the Pacific coast in one of these cars, escorted by a special conductor employed by the "Burlington Route" to look after your comfort.

For many years the Burlington Route Personally Conducted Excursions to California have been widely known for thoroughly good service. The whole idea of these parties is to provide a way for people of moderate means to make the California trip comfortably and in thoroughly good hands, and at the same time at small expense. Please call at my office or write—a postal will do.

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Another Lot Guyer's
2.50 Straw Hats
95c

They're selling in great shape—but you'll find the selection is good because the quality was big at the start.

We Give and Redeem Legal Stamps
"Your Money Back If You Want It"

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"MY CLOTHIER"
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79c Toweling
Outing Hats 49c

All white Turkish toweling hats, or white with facings of blue or pink. Other outing hats at 69c and 98c.

Here Are the Final Lots of
July Mark Downs

Our July Mark Down Sale reaches the climax of value-giving today and tomorrow. The reductions we outline below are not only real, but they have been made from bona fide selling prices—and this, in itself, means considerably more, when the original prices are Wolf's prices; for we claim that no other store sells good merchandise for as little money as we do.

Men's Suit Mark Downs

Get Legal Stamps
The same as you get your change. They mean money in your pocket just the same.

The fabrics used in making these garments are of exceptionally fine service-giving qualities, in new and decidedly handsome patterns; they have been made up in the best possible manner, and we offer them to you under our usual prices, simply because we want them out of our way before stock-taking time gets here.

$10.00 Suits
Now marked
6.85

$12.50 Suits
Now marked
7.75

$13.50 and $15.00 Suits
9.50

$16.50 and $18.00 Suits
12.50

The Right Store in The Right Part of Boston
Watch Us Grow

Men's Oxfords
Marked from $3.00
A small lot of Goodyear welt oxfords, of gun metal calf, in blucher styles—marked down from $3.00 to $1.95.
1.95

New Lots Those $1.00-$1.50 Shirts
69c
Newlots that have just been marked down go to make an even better selection, if anything, than when the sale started. Coat style negligees.

Women's Dresses

Just Marked **$4.50**
Dresses 2.98
Round or square neck styles, that button in the front or back—some in coatee style. Poplins, lawns, linens and chambrays.

Marking Down **$5.00**
Dresses 3.98
Striped or embroidered white voile dresses, in several different styles, that button in the front or back—round neck, ¾ sleeves.

Children's Elk Sole
Play Oxfords
Russet leather with elkskin soles. The most sensible Summer shoe you can buy.
Sizes 5 to 8. Now marked.... **85c**
Sizes 8½ to 11. Now marked.... **$1.00**
Sizes 11½ to 2. Now marked.... **$1.15**

Last Days of Our Sale
Bungalow Aprons and House Dresses
50c Bungalow Aprons 29c
Fast colored percales, in extra full sizes.

$1.00 House Dresses 59c
Percale and gingham, in four different styles.

Redeem Your Legal Stamp Books at Wolf's

MR. SAM LANGFORD HAS "WHITE HOPES" SCARED TO DEAT!

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

BILL CARRIGAN MAKES LOCAL DEBUT AS SOX MANAGER

WHITNEY BEATS WASHBURN IN GREAT MATCH

In what proved to be the greatest tennis match ever played on the Longwood cricket club courts, R. H. Whitney, a local expert, won over W. M. Washburn, the new Metropolitan singles title holder, in a manner that was remarkable from every angle, in the fifth round of the Eastern Singles tennis championship.

Yesterday darkness prevented a decision in their five set struggle, one of the few matches thus far in the tourney to go the full distance. Whitneys gameness was, what held the small gathering after the afternoon rain to gether for several hours. Washburn would start a burst of speed that looked fatal to the chances of Whitney, only to be brought up with a sudden jerk, when only one point remained between Whitney and elimination.

Each had won two sets of the hardest kind of tennis yesterday, and the third set was six all when it was deemed advisable to discontinue play until this morning.

Whitney Started with Rush.

Taking up the reins where they had laid them down last night, it was agreed that they would let two games settle the fate of either of their chances as a best two a three set match was decided upon.

Whitney started in with a rush and captured the first set 6—2, only to lose the next with equal alacrity to the tune of 6—3, so that after an hour's play there was still no advantage gained.

Both men entered the final test with confidence and speed, but Washburn was getting all his shots in, and Whitney was just missing his. With this state of affairs evident, it look bad for Whitney as a further possibility, but he won the fourth game with a series of fine shots that once again inspired the local contingent.

Washburn apparently and a few more shots, that he hadn't absorbed previously, and he let loose in the next two games. When the dust had cleared away, it showed the score to be five games to one in favor of the New York champion. More fine tennis by Washburn and the crowds about the sidelines, and in the grandstands became astir, for it was four fourteen time and Whitney was apparently beaten, the last game standing 40-15.

They had stirred just in time to get on their feet and applaud the wonderful stamina and nerve of Whitney, for he ran out the game despite the fact that Washburn was four times within a single point of taking the match. Whitney never slowed up until he had squared the match, making it a deuce set.

It was Whitney's service and he won the advantage game, the set then standing six games to five, which gave him his first lead since the opening of the final set. Washburn was not to be denied, and evened the match on his service, and it was thus until the match and see-sawed back and forth in this manner, with Whitney taking the advantage game and Washburn squaring matters, until the score of eight all was reached.

Whitney Gained Great Victory.

Whitney, following this schedule, won his service, and then broke thro the service of his team-mate and chum, and captured the second odd game necessary for a victory. It was a triumph that Whitney will never forget, a defeat that will almost prove a nightmare to Washburn, and a contest of gameness and skill that will long remain in the brains of the spectators who were fortunate enough to witness it.

Whitney met N. W. Niles this afternoon.

The point analysis of the final set follows:

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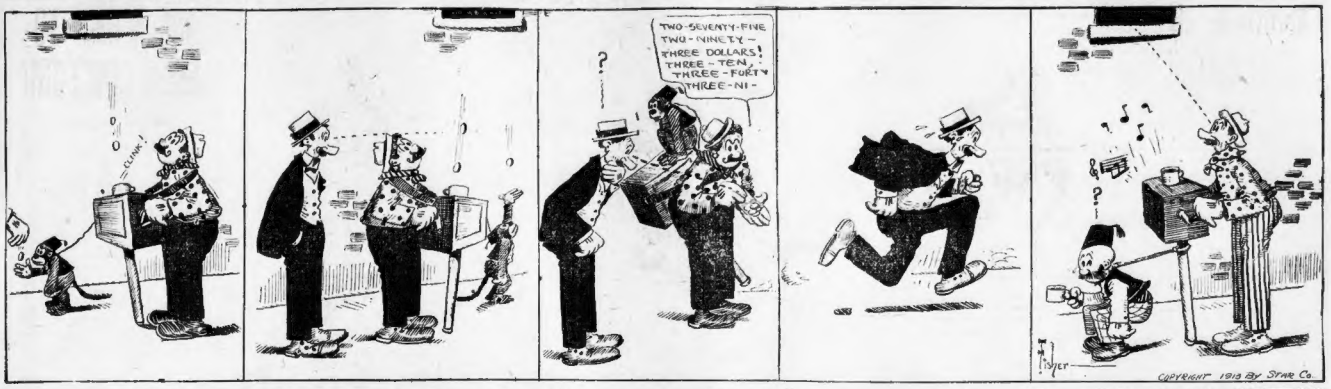
CONNIE MACK SEES NOTHING BUT ATHLETICS IN AMERICAN LEAGUE

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

SINGLES TO OPEN DAVIS CUP MATCHES AT WIMBLEDON TODAY

Well, You've Got to Hand It to Mutt for Trying, Anyway — By "Bud" Fisher



Sidelights on Sports

By A. H. C. MITCHELL

WE have with us today, ladies and gentlemen, the Red Sox, world's champions. They will open up at Fenway Park this afternoon under the management of William Carrigan, of Lewiston, Me. Carrigan is an able baseball citizen and is entitled to the support of the Boston fans unless it is clearly demonstrated that he cannot make good as manager. When the team left for the West, Jake Stahl was manager. He has retired from baseball. Let the fans encourage the new manager and the players. Let them see that Boston is still the best baseball city on earth—a city that will support a team through thick and thin as long as it is evident the players are doing their best. It is thus up to the new manager and the players to show they are trying to win.

THERE is no doubt but that the Red Sox have had their full share of hard luck this season and they are now in a crippled condition. Their pitching staff is shot to pieces, and when a pitching staff is shot to pieces it means a lot in the effectiveness of a team. But there are some good pitchers left. The youngsters, Leonard, Foster, Moseley and the others, will never have a better chance to make good than they have at present. With Wood and Bedient on the hospital list, the young twirlers will have to be worked regularly. It is up to them. Let us see what kind of stuff you are made of, boys.

WHAT a joke it is to suspend the manager of a big league ball club. A manager passes the umpire and the umpire reports to the president of the league. The president of the league wires off indefinite suspension of the player. The "indefinite suspension" usually lasts three days. Upon receipt of the news the manager neglects to put on his uniform and goes to the ball park dressed like the ordinary citizen. He then seeks the local management and secures the use of the box seat rest his team's dugout. Sitting back luxuriously in the private box and smoking a cigar (which he wouldn't do if he sat on the bench) the manager directs the playing of his team.

WHERE is the punishment in that? Of what use is a suspension? In the case of Manager Tinker, of the Cincinnati team, he occupied Box 1 at the South End grounds every day the Reds were here. He managed the team just as well from the box as he could have managed it from the bench. It is true that he couldn't take his regular position at shortstop, but he was not feeling well and would not have played even if he hadn't been punished. Whenever a suspension is handed to Manager Griffith of the Washington club, or Manager Jennings of the Detroit club, or Manager Chance of the New York club, these men sit in the grand stand and manage from that point.

If a suspension is to be regarded in any other light than a joke, the man under suspension ought to be barred from the grounds until the suspension is lifted.

Papke-Clabby Matched.

DENVER, Col., July 25.—Articles have been signed for a ten-round bout between Jimmy Clabby the Milwaukee middleweight and Billy Papke, of Kewanee, Ill., to be held at the Denver A. C. on August 11.

CONNIE MACK FORESEES FLAG FOR ATHLETICS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 25.—Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics, in a statement assured the local "fans" that neither Washington nor Chicago has sufficient strength to beat out his team.

The statement is a reply to Jimmy Callahan, who said Washington looks good to him and he expects them to be out in front if his White Sox are not there themselves.

Here is what Mack said:

"I can only state that Washington and Chicago have good ball clubs, but neither has given any indication of strength sufficient to defeat the Athletics.

"Washington has been gaining during the last few weeks, or since we left that city. The White Sox have a fairly strong club, but neither Chicago nor Washington is going to make any headlong rush in time to beat us out.

"We have a good lead and we mean to keep it. Outside of the Athletics, the only clubs in the league that are formidable are Washington, Chicago, Boston and Cleveland, which, are nearly matched in strength. They practically play one another to a standstill, killing each other off; no one club in this league is going to win any sixteen or seventeen straight, like Washington did last year.

"We won fifteen straight, but I do not think we could do it at this stage of the game. I cannot foresee any accident or combination of accidents that will permit either Washington or Chicago to nose us out. We have done excellently on our road trip, and expect to do even better at home.

"Washington looks good to the Chicago people just now, because the Senators have been beating the White Sox since we left Chicago; but Chicago had all its pitchers primed for us, and there has been a marked reaction in the Sox since Saturday.

Previous Winners and Challengers of the Dwight F. Davis Cup

Year.	Winner.	Challenger.
1900	United States	United Kingdom
1902	United States	United Kingdom
1903	United Kingdom	United Kingdom
1904	United Kingdom	Belgium
1905	United Kingdom	United States
1906	United Kingdom	United States
1907	Australasia	Australasia
1908	Australasia	United States
1909	Australasia	United States
1911	Australasia	United States
1912	United Kingdom	United States

HOT LINERS

Rain put the finishing touches on Major League baseball yesterday, the National League games all being postponed.

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The American League teams spent the day traveling eastward.

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In the hope of widening the gap between his team and the Phillies, Manager McGraw will send the Giants along at the clip they have been traveling the last few weeks, when they begin their second invasion of the West tomorrow.

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Manager Clark Griffith has ordered the Senators to keep away from Lake Michigan. Outfielder Shanks turned his ankle and injured his head while diving the other day and will be out of the game for several days. Griffith orders was to prevent further injuries to his playing strength.

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Alleging that he was assaulted by Jack O'Connor, manager of the Federal League St. Louis Club, John S. McNulty, a former umpire, has brought suit for $35,000 against the league, the St. Louis Club and O'Connor. It was McNulty's first day of umpiring and also his last, and he alleges he has been unable to earn a livelihood in his profession since.

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Connie Mack, back with his leading Athletics, takes exception to the statement that the Senators will beat out his team. Mack says his men fear nobody and will breeze home in the American League.

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Manager Frank Chance plans a big shake up in the Yankees. He is contemplating benching Birdie Cree and Harry Wolter and filling their places in the outfield with Roy Hartzell and Ray Caldwell. The latter has not been meeting with success as a pitcher, but is developing into a good outfielder and batsman.

Finlay Substitutes for Pye at Revere

Ernie Pye, the Australian biker, decided yesterday that one hour behind the motors was a trifle longer road than he cared to travel so early in the paced season, and requested the management to withdraw his name from the starters in the Brassard race at the Revere track tomorrow night. With the withdrawal of Pye, the management substituted Bob Finlay of Australia.

CARRIGAN MAKES LOCAL DEBUT AS MANAGER TODAY

Presenting a somewhat changed appearance after their unsuccessful trip through the West, the Red Sox will open up a series of games with the Western teams today at the Fenway Park, beginning with the White Sox.

It will be the local debut of Manager Bill Carrigan. Everybody is anxious to see the Lewiston boy make good at his new job, but too much cannot be expected of him right off the reel, for more than one reason.

President McAleer has promised to give his new manager a free rein. He has confidence in Carrigan and Bill has the confidence of the players.

The once great pitching staff of the World's Champions has now dwindled down to Ray Collins, and it remains for him, with the aid of Leonard, Foster, Moseley and Hall, to keep up the pitching end of the Sox.

Collins is in good form and pitching excellent ball, but just what the other youngsters can do, it remains to be seen. They all made a good start in the West but fell down terribly toward the end.

If Carrigan can get the pitching staff settled right, then all will be smooth sailing. Everyone else on the team, with the possible exception of Steve Yerkes, is playing at top form. Steve has had a bad batting slump. He was benched in Cleveland and now will have to find himself before he can replace Harold Janvrin.

Ray Collins will probably pitch today. He has not worked since the first Cleveland game last Sunday. "Bob" Russell, a youthful hurler of the White Sox, and heralded as a second edition of "Big Ed" Walsh, will take the hill for the White Sox, with Eddie Cicotte as second choice.

Hal Chase, the famous first baseman, will make his first local appearance in a White Sox uniform today, as will "Buck" O'Brien, the former Red Sox, and Larry Chappell, the $18,000 outfielder secured by Chicago from Milwaukee.

Baseball Summaries

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Philadelphia	64	31	.674
Cleveland	55	39	.585
Washington	53	41	.564
Chicago	45	47	.489
Detroit	42	49	.477
Boston	41	52	.441
St. Louis	38	55	.409
New York	31	59	.322

Games Today.

Chicago at Boston.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.

No games scheduled yesterday.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Lowell	42	27	.609
Lawrence	42	30	.583
Worcester	40	28	.582
Portland	39	31	.557
Lynn	33	36	.478
Brockton	31	39	.443
New Bedford	27	43	.386
Fall River	24	45	.348

Games Today.

Fall River at Worcester.
Lawrence at Brockton.
Lynn at Lowell.
New Bedford at Portland.

Results Yesterday.

Lowell, 4; New Bedford 1 (first game).
Lowell, 4; New Bedford, 3 (7 innings, second game).

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Newark	52	36	.591	Montreal	46	40	.535
Rochester	52	41	.559	Providence	42	51	.452
Baltimore	46	46	.500	Toronto	40	55	.421
Buffalo	46	48	.489	Jersey City	40	54	.426

Games Today.

Providence at Buffalo.
Baltimore at Montreal.
Newark at Toronto.
Jersey City at Rochester.

Results Yesterday.

Jersey City, 1; Montreal, 1; called end sixth inning, rain.
Buffalo-Newark postponed, rain.

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

Games Today.

New Haven at Springfield.
Pittsfield at New London.
Meriden at Bridgeport.
Hartford at Waterbury.

Results Yesterday.

Pittsfield, 7; Waterbury, 2.
All other games postponed, rain.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Mobile	2	1	.667
Chattanooga	1	1	.500
Birmingham	1	1	.500
Memphis	0	1	.000
Atlanta	postponed,	rain.	
Nashville	postponed,	wet grounds:	two games tomorrow.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Milwaukee, 10; Kansas City, 0; 11 innings.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	61	31	.663
Philadelphia	60	33	.645
Chicago	55	40	.579
Pittsburgh	53	41	.564
Brooklyn	48	47	.505
Boston	37	56	.398
St. Louis	35	58	.376
Cincinnati	33	59	.358

Games Today.

Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
All games postponed yesterday, rain.

Jeff Smith Matched With Carpentier

NEW YORK, July 25.—Georges Carpentier, light heavyweight champion of France, and Jeff Smith of Bayonne, N. J., who won every bout during the several months that he was in Paris, have been matched to meet in a twenty-round bout at the Cirque de Paris, on October 20, according to a cablegram received today from Vienne, the French fight promoter. Smith will leave for Paris early in September.

Moir-Wells Matched for London Sept. 3.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Bombardier Wells English heavyweight champion, has been signed to meet Gunner Moir for twenty rounds at the Canterbury Music Hall in London on September 3. Wells also signed to box twenty rounds with Bandsman Rice, another English heavyweight in London, on September 17.

Graves and Malone Matched.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Kid Graves of Milwaukee and Tommy Malone the local welterweight will meet in a ten-round bout at the Irving A. C. here Saturday night.

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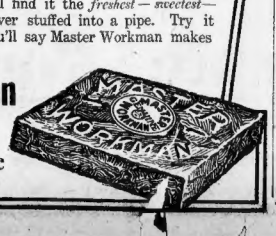

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MRS. GRETOREX	Her Mother	ANNABELLE DENNISON
EBENEZER GRYCE	The Detective	HARRISON BROCKBANK
DR. JULIUS MOLESWORTH.	The Suspect	HORACE J. HAIN
THE CORONER	Who Aids Gryce	EDWARD MARTINDELL
MRS. OLNEY	The Landlady	HATTIE ARNOLD

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERS APPEARING IN EACH INSTALMENT

From left to right in the top picture are: Horace J. Hain as Dr. Julius Molesworth, the suspect; Annabelle Dennison, as Mrs. Gretorex; Hal Forde, as Dr. Walter Cameron, first the fiance and then the husband of Miss Gretorex, and finally Harrison Brockbank, as Ebenezer Gryce, the detective who solves the mystery and sets everything right.

Miss Valli-Valli as Genevieve Gretorex.

These are the principal characters in the story who will appear in all the accompanying photographs which were especially posed for the Boston American by the leading artists of "The Purple Road" company.

The bottom picture shows Miss Valli-Valli, leading woman of the company, as Miss Genevive Gretorex, who is the principal character in the mystery.

OPENING INSTALMENT

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An Unexpected Visitor

IT was Dr. Cameron's wedding day. At 8 o'clock in the evening the ceremony of marriage between himself and Genevieve Gretorex was to be performed at the house of the bride's parents in St. Nicholas place. It was now 4 o'clock.

Seated in his office, Dr. Cameron, who, for a young man, enjoyed a most enviable reputation as a physician, mused over his past and built castles for the future, for his bride was the daughter of one of the richest and most influential citizens of New York and to such ambition as his, this fact, implying, as it did, valuable connections in the present and a large and unencumbered fortune in the future, was one that lent lustre to her beauty and attraction to their union. Not but what he loved her—or thought he did—would have loved her under any circumstances. Was she not handsome, and in that reserved and somewhat haughty way he especially admired? Had she not fine manners and would she not add increased honor to a name already well known, and, as he might add, respected?

To be sure, she had her caprices, as a woman, so circumstances had a right to have, and she esteemed rather than adored him, as many little events in their short courtship only too plainly betrayed. But then he would not have admired a gushing bride, and being what he was, a man of taste, — round a certain satisfaction in the calm propriety of a match that united equal interests, without jeopardizing that calmness of mind necessary to the successful practice of his exacting profession. There was but one thing that troubled him. Why had she refused to see him for the last seven days? She was not a woman of petty instincts. Indeed he had sometimes suspected her of possessing latent energies which the round of a fashionable life had never called forth; and in her cool and somewhat languid gaze he had caught glimpses now and then of a spirit that only needed light and air to expand into something like greatness.

Why, then, the strange desire for seclusion at a time when a woman is usually supposed to desire the support of her lover's society? Had he displeased her? He could not think so. Not only had his presents been rich, they had been rare and of an order to gratify her refined taste. Was she ill? He was her physician as well as lover, and he had not been notified of any indisposition. Besides, the last time he had been so fortunate as to be received into her presence she had seemed well and looked blooming; more so, indeed, than he had seen her for some time, and, though somewhat nervous in manner, had exhibited an interest in his attentions which he had not always observed in her. It was not a long interview, but he remembered it well; saw again the almost timid look with which she greeted him, followed by a smile that was nearly a shock to him—it was so much warmer and brighter than usual. Then the few hurried words—for even that night she would not see him long—and the sudden reserve of her attitude as he took her hand in parting!—he recollected it all. He had not thought of it at the time, but now it seemed to him that there had been something strange in her whole bearing, an inexplicable change from her former self that he could not analyse, but which had, nevertheless, left its impression upon him. The kiss he had received, for instance, had moved him. There had been warmth in it and her lips had almost returned the pressure of his own.

WAS SHE ILL?

This was new in the history of their courtship and would have argued, perhaps, that she was beginning to recognise his appreciation of her if her after conduct had not given the lie to any such surmise. As it was, it rather seemed to show that she had been in an unnatural condition—suggestive of incipient fever, perhaps. She was ill; and they were trying to keep it from him! The butler's excuses. "Miss Gretorex is very much engaged, sir; Mrs. Gretorex's regrets, sir, but Miss Gretorex has gone out on important business," were but polite subterfuges to blind his eyes to the real truth. And yet to his calmer judgment how unfeminine was even this supposition. Had she been sick he could not have failed to have heard of it from some quarter. No, she was not sick. She was but indulging in a freak easily to be explained, perhaps, by her mother's over-exacting code of etiquette; and as in a few hours she was to be his wife and life-long companion, he would cease to think of it, and only remember that kiss.

He had reached this point in his musings when they were suddenly interrupted. A tap was heard on his office door.

With some irritation he arose. It was not time for his carriage and he had expressly ordered that no visitors or patients were to be received. Who could it be, then? A messenger from Miss Gretorex? He sprang to the door at the thought. But before he could touch the knob, the door opened, and to his surprise and possible relief there entered an unknown man of middle age and prepossessing appearance, whose errand seemed to be one of importance, though his manner was quiet and his voice startlingly gentle.

A VISITOR

"I hope I am not intruding," said he. "The boy below told me this was your wedding day, but he also told me that the ceremony was not to take place till 8 o'clock this evening, and as my business is peculiar and demands instant attention I ventured to come up."

"That is right," answered Dr. Cameron, feeling an unaccountable attraction toward the man, though he was not his, partly—but I am not the patient, I almost wish I were," he added, in a troubled tone that awakened the other's interest notwithstanding the natural preoccupation of his thoughts.

"Let me hear," returned Dr. Cameron.

"You make my task easy," the stranger remarked. "And yet," he went on in a curter and more business like tone, "you may be less willing to listen when I tell you that I have first a story to relate which, while not uninteresting in itself, is so out of accord with your present mood that I doubt if you will be able to sit through it with patience. Yet it is necessary for me to relate it, and necessary for you to hear it, now, here, and without any interruption."

A STRANGE STORY

This was alarming, especially as the speaker did not seem like a man given to sentimentalities or even to exaggerations. On the contrary he gave the impression of a person accustomed to weigh his words with studious care, not allowing a sentence to escape him without a decided motive.

"Will you tell me your name?" requested Dr. Cameron.

The reply came quickly.

"I doubt if you will know it, and I had rather you had not asked it. But since it is important above all things that you should trust me, I will say that it is Gryce, Ebenezer Gryce, and add that I am a member of the police force; in short, a detective."

Dr. Cameron felt his apprehensions vanish. Whatever the other's errand, it could not be one that touched him or his; and this to a man on his wedding day was certainly a comforting thought.

"You underrate your fame," he replied. "I know your name well. Can it be possible you desire my assistance in a professional way?"

The detective's gaze, which had been resting gloomily upon a laughing cherub on the mantlepiece, shifted, but he did not respond to the doctor's smile and his manner remained unaltered.

"I will tell you my story," said he. "It will be the quickest way to come to an understanding."

And without further pause or preliminary, he began in the following words.

The Dilemma

"I AM getting to be an old man, and I have my infirmities. But there are still cases which are given to no one but me. Among them are those which involve the honor of persons in a high station of life."

Mr. Gryce paused. Dr. Cameron felt his apprehensions return.

"You see," the detective slowly resumed, "I can keep a secret; that is, when the life and property of others are not endangered by my silence. I can do a detective's work and keep a detective's counsel, only speaking when and where necessity requires."

He paused again. Dr. Cameron moved uneasily.

"As in this case," added the other gravely.

"This case?" repeated the doctor, now thoroughly alarmed. What case? You excite me; tell me what you have to say, at once!"

But the detective was not to be hurried.

"I was therefore not at all surprised," he proceeded, as if no interruption had occurred, "when some three days ago I was requested to call upon—Mrs. A., let us say, on business of a strictly confidential character. Such summons come frequently. Such a summons does not disturb an officer in the least. I nevertheless made haste to show myself at Mrs. A.'s house; for Mrs. A., whom you know, is a woman of some consequence, and her husband is a man of widespread reputation and influence. I found her at home, anxiously awaiting my appearance. As soon as she saw me she told me her trouble: 'Mr. Gryce,' said she, 'I am in a great dilemma. Something has occurred in my family which may or may not lead to a lasting dishonor. What I wish from you is aid to determine whether our fears are well grounded. If they are not, you will forget that you were ever called to this house.' I bowed; I was already interested, for I saw that her anxiety was great, while I could not help being puzzled over its cause, for she had no son to disgrace her by his dissipations, and as for her husband he was above reproach. She soon relieved my curiosity.

"'Mr. Gryce,' said she, 'I have a daughter.'

"'Yes,' I returned, inwardly startled, Miss A. and dishonor seemed so wide apart.

"'She is our only child,' the mother went on. 'We love her, and have always cherished her, but though it is not generally known in the house—and here the poor lady's eyes roamed about her as if she were afraid that her words would be overheard, 'she has left us! gone away without acquainting us where —suddenly, inexplicably, leaving only the most meagre explanation behind her, and —and'—

"'But, madam,' I interrupted, 'if she left any explanation'—

"Mrs. A. took a small and crumpled note out of her pocket and handed it to me.

"'A letter,' she affirmed, 'sent through the mail. And I was in the house when she left, and would have listened to any reasonable request she had to make.'

"'I had already read the four or five lines which the letter contained.

"'Dear Mother—I must have rest. I have gone away for a few days, but shall be back on the twenty-seventh. Don't worry.

'Your affectionate——'.

"'What is the matter with this?' I asked. 'She says she will be back on the twenty-seventh, and today is only the twenty-fourth.'

"'Sh,' was the answer, 'it is the only time in our experience when our daughter has left us without first gaining our permission. Besides, the time is especially inopportune. My daughter's wedding cards are out.'"

Mr. Gryce stopped suddenly, for Dr. Cameron had given an anxious start.

"Ah, that arouses your interest!" remarked the detective. "Your own wedding being so near, I am not surprised."

It was dryly said, and the doctor, at once resented himself. He had no wish to appear unduly moved, but he could not suppress every token of emotion, so he turned his head way from the light Mr. Gryce let his gaze travel to a new object before proceeding.

"This avowal of Mrs. A. put a new aspect on affairs," said he, "but yet I saw no reason for the extreme anxiety displayed. "And on what day does she expect to be married?" I asked.

To Be Continued Tomorrow

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Little Bobbie's Pa

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

I HAVEN'T quite made up my mind yet whether Bobbie shud jern a trade or a professhun, sed Mu to Pa yesterday. Sumtimes I think it wud be nice if he cud larn a trade, & again I think a trade is kind of commonplace. A professhun is so professhunal, sumhow, so distinguished, sed Ma.

I guess there are a lot of yung lawyers in the big cities that dount see anything very professhunal about a professhun, sed Pa. If I were a yung man agreen, Pa sed, I wud a lot rather work kindly at a trade than profess at a professhun. Bobbie, what do you want to be.

I tuold Pa there was three things & I dident know wich one of the three I wanted to be the most, a pitcher like Joe Wood, or a elevator boy, or a poet.

Pitchers and poets are born, not made, sed Pa, & a elevator boy isent any kind of job for you wen you grow up. If I thowght you cud be a poet like me or a pitcher like Joe Wood, sed Pa, I wud tell you by all means go ahed & try to be one or the other, but there ain't many Joe Woods & there ain't many mes, sed Pa.

Dear me, sed Ma, & wen did you become grate?

Edsel I ffle that poem that I red at the bankwet the other nite wen I was Toastmaster, sed Pa, & diden all the men there say that it was the work of a genyus?

Ize men was kind of enthused too much, I guess, sed Ma. I guess that a certain amount of champagne will make men stand for almost anything in literature. Dount talk to me about that poem, sed Pa. If you call that art, you are a blacksmith. I found two of the best verses in your coat pocket after the bankwet, Ma sed, & I must say that you are no Milton.

I tell you the poem met with grate ig lause, sed Pa.

If you remember what I jest tuold you about champane, sed Ma. Bobbie, you by all means go ahed & try to be a poet, but there ain't many Joe Woods & there ain't many mes.

All brethuren we stand together todite Whare all the litles are shining brite. Met here in Friendships strong embrace We can look each other in the face & know that all of us is mes.

Wich is a good thing now & then.

The world needs men like us to fight For truth & the eternal right & the reason each one of us thrives & supports ourselfe and our wives is because of that brain power we possess That is the cause of our grate success. We all of us brethrens entered here Have little if anything to fear, Jest so we keep on working hard & continued success will be our reward.

Now Bobbie, sed Ma, I want you to be a honest littel boy. If you had your choice between being a elevator boy & a littel kind of a poet, wich wud you be?

I wud be a elevator boy, I tuold Mu. The hours is easier.

she sed to me. If you think this is good poetry, you are a chip of the old block. Libert!

Just About Friends

IF it pleases you to hear a friend say he would do anything in the world for you, don't prepare a thorn for your flesh by mentioning some little thing you want done.

A man has ten friends willing to sit up the first night he is sick, one who is willing the third night, and woe be to him if he hasn't money for a blind man the sixth night, or he must suffer alone.

Your friend is judge, witness and jury, and every day he convicts you and hangs you, and you do not know for what offense.

If you want your troubles to weep with you sew your troubles give them comfortable chairs. No one's troubles were ever so great that a friend wept over them standing up.

The average friendship ends in thus: "How much I did for him! How little he did for me!"

When some upper with a new friend, others think: "There's another one I have heard him abuse a thousand times."

There are times in every man's life when the way to earn his friendship is to ask him no questions.

It is a good plan to tell your troubles to a friend in order that you may receive such inspiring encouragement as "Cheer up, cherries are ripe," and "Dry your eyes, dearie."

If you tell a friend a trouble and he weeps with you, it is not for your troubles that he weeps, but at the recollection of his own.

Every one past fifty is looking for one true friend. Those under twenty think they have hundreds of them.

If admiring friends who are soliciting funds for a gift for a man don't raise enough the first day to buy him a diamond-studded watch, on the evening of the next day they spend what they have collected on a pembroker.

FRANCES L. GARSIDE.

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"I wish to complain," said the newly married wife hotly. "About the flour you sold me. It was tough."

"Tough, madam?" asked the grocer. "Yes, tough. I made a cake with it, and my husband could hardly cut it."

Don't be a Dyspeptic

Because you can't and be good-natured. To a man or woman with a sour stomach all the world is sour. Our friendly advice to you is

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The Baseball Fan-nie

BY NELL BRINKLEY

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This is me and I'm with Tad—and didn't he have to answer a lot of foolish questions, oh! But he never peeped once.

Here is a fat, pretty woman I saw at the game. Her hankie-hat looked like a postage stamp

These two were at the game, too, but why I don't know—they hardly ever noticed it.

WHAT strikes you most about her is that she makes herself so "at home." Hat off—so the air can keep the top of her pretty head cool; her parasol leaned against the railing; her own self slouched down in the middle of her back, which health-preachers say is bad for us, but which is mighty comfortable; in one hand a fan fluttering hard like a butterfly—the only thing about her that works; in the other hand a tall, frosty glass, or a tall, cool bottle—the prickly liquid inside it going via a double straw to her lips that only stop drinking long enough to gurgle, "Good boy, Joe!"

Resinol stops skin troubles

If you have eczema, rash, pimples, or other distressing, unsightly skin eruption, try Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap, and see how quickly the trouble disappears, even in severe and stubborn cases. They stop itching *instantly*.

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Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

CERTAINLY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am nineteen. I have been acquainted with a young man for about two months, and he is three years my senior. He asked me to keep company, but I refused, as I didn't know him long enough.

And now I have learned to like him, but he doesn't ask me any more. Do you think it is right of me to ask him to call at my house?

ANXIOUS.

THERE will be no impropriety in asking him to make a call, and I am sure he will accept. I am also sure he will like you all the more because of your hesitation in accepting attentions from one who was a stranger.

YOU WERE RIGHT

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I have been acquainted with a young man for several months, and he has taken me out quite a number of times. The last time he called he wanted to take me to a dance, but I refused, as he did not notify me in time so that I could get ready. Was I right in doing so? Since then he has not called to see me. F. C.

YOU had the right of refusal, of course. If he is peeling because of it, believe me, my dear, he will prove a very uncomfortable friend, and you must waste no time or emotions on him.

CERTAINLY NOT

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am very much in love with a boy. I am seventeen and he is eighteen. He has kissed me a great many times, but now he has stopped calling me, and I have not heard from him for some time. I cried all last night about him.

Would you write him? NANCY.

YOU have been very foolish, and his coldness is no more than what you should expect.

Do not write him, and the next time you have a lover, *refuse* to be so generous with marks of your affection. I trust this experience will prove to you that you are too young to have a lover.

Drake's Sponge Cake

—and Peaches

Another famous dessert made with Drake's Sponge Cake—try it!

Get from your grocer a Drake's Sponge Cake—cut through the middle. Fill with sliced peaches—top with the peaches—then cover with sweetened whipped cream.

You'll find Drake's Sponge Cake perfectly baked, light and appetizing.

Varieties of Pound Cake:
Raisin, Plain, Citron, Marble, Lady, Nut, Oriental Fruit and Wedding Fruit.

DRAKE'S PURE FOOD CAKE

Their Married Life

Peace Is Restored by an Unexpected Midnight Supper in the New Rooms

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

WITH Warren's note still crushed in her hand, Helen lay sobbing on the blue silk draped bed at the Hotel Romeray. To the beauty of the rooms, which had lured her into engaging them, she was now indifferent.

Oh, why had she moved to this place without consulting him? She might have known he would find some way to punish her.

Again she smoothed out and re-read the crumpled note. It was brief and sarcastic, saying merely that since she had taken things in her own hands she could "keep it up"—and dine by herself.

To deliberately leave her alone on their second night in Paris was a cruel punishment, and Helen had lain there too heart sick to think of food. Yet she had had nothing since breakfast, for in the excitement of getting their baggage moved over from the other hotel she had not stopped for luncheon.

When at length she arose it was after ten. Her eyes were red and swollen, and her dainty gown was badly rumpled. It was a very forlorn little woman that looked back from the mirror now compared to the excitedly happy one reflected there before Warren's note had come.

She was just starting to unhook her dress when an angry shake of the sitting-room door sent her flying to open it. It was Warren. A glance at his face, and Helen knew that he was furiously angry.

"Oh, I'm so sorry, dear. I didn't know the door was locked," she began in hurried apology.

VERY ANGRY

Without speaking he strode past her into the room, flung some papers on a table and himself into one of the rose silk tapestried chairs.

Still without deigning to glance around the room, he sovereignly lit a cigarette. Helen stood awkwardly by the window, fumbling with the tassel of the curtain and waiting for him to comment on the place—or at least to rage at her for having moved. But he did neither.

From the "silent treatment" to which Warren sometimes subjected her, Helen shrank even more than from being raged at. Once he had not spoken to her for days. Was this now to be her further punishment? Had not the long, lonely evening without dinner been enough?

"Dear, please don't be angry about my moving," pleadingly. "You know how dirty that other place was—and these rooms are so lovely and so reasonable! I really thought you'd WANT me to take them."

"Huh, you did—did you? Well, you took devilish good care to get here before I'd get a chance to say WHAT I wanted! Nice state of affairs for a man to get back to his hotel and find his wife and baggage gone."

"But, dear, I only thought it would save you time and—"

"Drop it! DROP it, I tell you! You wanted to move here—well, you're here, aren't you? What's the matter?" noticing her reddened eyes. "Been having hysterics over it?"

Helen bit her lip.

"Well, there's one thing you can count on," with sneering emphasis, "if you ever come abroad again you'll come alone and put up where you blame please! I'll not be in the party. Now, for heaven's sake stop your snivelling," and throwing his cigarette into the grate under the marble mantel he slammed into the bedroom.

By the sound of his moving about Helen, who was waiting in dumb misery by the window, knew that he was getting ready for bed. Suddenly he opened the door with an angry:

MORE SHOUTING

"Where in the devil did you put my suit case?"

"In the closet, dear; all your things are in that big closet."

"Only closet I see's hung full of your duds."

In the white wood paneling the closet door was hardly noticeable, and now Helen darted in and threw it open with an eager:

"See, that a beautiful closet? And all those patent hangers were already there! Oh, dear, don't you see it's really a wonderful place, and so perfectly appointed!"

But with another impatient "Oh, cut it!" Warren dragged out and opened his suit case.

Helen went back into the sitting room and gazed unhappily out the window, until a creaking of bed springs told her that he was in bed.

He had turned out all the lights, and, afraid to disturb him by their glare, Helen undressed by the light from the street. The narrow cane bed were side by side, but she crept into hers with a feeling that Warren was miles away. He lay with his back to her, his outstretched form under the white sheet looking almost giant-like in the dim light.

The unfamiliar objects and shadows of the room, the strangeness of the atmosphere, accentuated her wakefulness.

Her head ached, and she was now conscious of a gnawing hunger—the effect of having eaten nothing since morning. The discomfort itself she was too unhappy to care about but the fear that it might keep her awake to worry and anguish through the night made her think of a cake of milk chocolate that Warren had bought on the train. Softly she slipped out of bed, opened her satchel and felt for the chocolate.

"What in the deuce are you trying to do?" demanded Warren, suddenly switching on the light by a button beside his bed.

"Nothing, dear," shrinking from the sudden glare. "I was just looking for a piece of chocolate."

"Chocolate?" "What's the matter? Hungry? Didn't have much dinner?"

"Not much" stammeringly.

"Not much? How much?"

A SUGGESTION

Helen flushed as she unwrapped a bit of tinfoil from the chocolate.

"So that's it! Didn't have any dinner at all, eh? Another of your fool performances. Well, don't eat that stuff! I don't want you here sick on my hands! Chuck it, I tell you!"

Warren was already up, getting into his slippers and dressing gown.

"Dear, what are you going to do?" anxiously as he crossed the room and pushed a bell.

"Get you something to eat."

"Oh, I don't want anything," excitedly. "I'm not hungry. I only thought I'd sleep better if I nibbled at something. Oh, please don't order anything up here—it'll be so expensive at this time of night! Why, it is almost twelve!"

Warren growled at her to "keep still," and rang the bell again.

"What can you get to eat here, this late?" Helen heard his demand of the boy who came to the door. "What's that? Well send me a waiter—one who CAN speak English! Understand? Yes, ENGLISH!"

Just what Warren ordered Helen, who was still in the bedroom, could not hear, but when he had given the order he came to the door with a peremptory:

"Get into your dressing gown—we're going to have something to eat!"

Bewildered, yet following a quick impulse, Helen took from her trunk one of her prettiest negligees. It was a pale pink chiffon, charming over the white lace of her night dress. Her rumpled hair she smoothed under a boudoir cap. Her eyes, no longer red, were now feverishly bright.

There are few conditions under which a woman is not conscious of her charm, and even now Helen felt a faint glow of pleasure as she glanced in the mirror.

Warren had turned on all the shaded lights in the rose silk sitting room. The waiter had already brought up a folding table, and was now setting it with elaborate care.

A MYSTERY

What did it all mean? She had expected only a few sandwiches—why all this china and silver? But for once Helen was discreet. She asked no questions and made no comments, and Warren had settled himself with some papers by a shaded reading lamp.

When a little later he opened the door to a waiter with a loaded tray Helen gazed in astonishment. There was broiled chicken, French peas, artichoke and a bottle of claret. The waiter arranged it all on the table with a deftness and quickness that only a French waiter knows.

The Louis XV. room with its gilt furniture and silk hangings now looked more than ever like a stage setting—the Bohemian supper scene in the second act. And Helen was conscious that her trailing negligee and Warren's quilted dressing gown were a part of it all. The theatrical instinct is in every woman—and in Helen it was very strong.

When finally the waiter opened the wine, filled their glasses, drew up two chairs, received his tip and bowed himself out, Helen sank into one of the chairs still in a dazed but now happy bewilderment.

"Well, you can sit there and stare if you want to—I'm going to pitch in. Looks pretty good to me."

"Why, Warren; didn't you have dinner either?"

"Not much," grimly.

Helen looked at him. Then dropping her napkin, with a breathless cry, she ran over and threw her arms about him. "Oh, you DIDN'T—I KNOW you didn't! You were wretched, too! You couldn't eat any more than I could! Oh, you dear—you WONDERFUL dear!" showering kisses on his hair and neck. "Oh I'm so happy! It shows you DO care!"

"Look here, are you going to let this chicken get cold? Now sit down there and eat your dinner, supper—or whatever you call this meal. I'm blamed hungry, I tell you. Go on," shoving her away, but not ungently. "Here, what part of this bird do you want first—white meat or a short leg?"

A Generous Judge

Lord Blackburn was one of the most conscientious men that ever meted out justice on the bench. Not long after his appointment as a judge he was trying an action in which the plaintiff sought to recover damages for an injury that had caused him the loss of an eye.

The counsel for the plaintiff, dwelling on the seriousness of the injury to his client, spoke of it as blighting his career.

"I have lost the sight of an eye, Mr. ——," interposed Mr Justice Blackburn, "and it has not blighted my career."

The jury, not unaffected by the Judge's remark, awarded the plaintiff but trifling damages.

Blackburn was conscience-stricken. He thought it over, and the next day he sent the plaintiff a check for $250.

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If you want continued business success, you must find time to eat, sleep and exercise properly or *you will have to find time for occasional "days off" spent in sickness.*

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East Boston Field Day

The field day of the Assumption parish of East Boston will take place tomorrow at Wood Island Park. The Rev. Joseph Fitzgerald and his assistants, the Revs. J. B. Coghlon, Fayhlan V. O'Connell and James A. McMorrow are in charge.

Theatres.

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PROVINCETOWN

GREEN PARASOL GIRL IN PARAGON PARK SUNDAY

Boston AMERICAN readers will have another opportunity next Sunday to earn a neat reward in the sum of $150 in gold coin.

"The Girl with the Green Parasol" will be "at home" to Sunday AMERICAN readers at Paragon Park, Nantasket, next Sunday afternoon.

Have you keenness? Have you alertness? Have you perception? Sunday will answer these questions for you.

"The Girl with the Green Parasol" will go to Paragon Park next Sunday and will be in plain sight, inside and outside of Paragon Park between the hours of 2 p. m. and 5 p. m. The Boston AMERICAN absolutely guarantees her appearance.

She will stroll along outside of Paragon Park until 2 p. m. She will then enter the Park and visit the sea lions. After that hour she will attempt to enjoy the following amusements:

The Merry-Go-Round,
The Two Roller Coasters,
The Circle Swing,
The Scenic Temple,
The Roulette Wheel,

and as many others as possible until caught.

Someone will be the richer by $150 for joining the interesting search next Sunday. The only requirement is that the person who identifies "The Girl with the Green Parasol" must have in his or her hand, in plain sight, a copy of the page announcement which will appear in next Sunday's American, and shall say to her:

"You are the Girl with the Green Parasol."

The first man, woman or child who identifies her as directed will receive the $150.

It should be remembered that "The Girl with the Green Parasol" will not admit her identity to any person who fails to use the language directed, WORD FOR WORD.

Go to Nantasket next Sunday.

Keep your eyes open—and use them.

Greet, as directed, every girl or woman you see with a green parasol.

Don't take any chances—don't let any girl or woman who carries a green parasol get by you without the accostation.

Remember, it means a pot of money for you and—you never can tell—it might just as well be you as your neighbor who will receive this bag of gold.

It is worth your while to devote your afternoon next Sunday to the search. You will enjoy the delightful boat trip to Nantasket and you have every chance of returning in the evening richer by $150.

Boy Hurt in Motor Truck Crash Dies

William H. Lynch, Jr., sixteen, of No. 44 Grant street, Cambridge, is dead today at the Cambridge Relief Hospital, where he passed away without recovering consciousness after a collision between an automobile truck and a street car in Central Square, Cambridge.

F. G. Patterson of Brighton and Herbert Quinn of Cambridge, who were on the auto truck, and John Garfinkle of Cambridge, who was on the car, are suffering from bruises sustained when all three were hurled to the ground by the impact. The Elevated Railroad officials declare that the truck was driven at a fast rate of speed directly across the car tracks.

LATEST FROM TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS

By W. H. ROSS, Financial Editor.

Prices advanced in stock markets before the end of the first hour and trading increased in volume. After the opening period of irregularity there seemed to be a gain in confidence Boston & Maine lost a half point gain, but New Haven sold fractionally higher. Lake coppers were sluggish. Other mines ranged higher. Among first hour gains were Granby ⅝, North Butte and Butte and Superior ¼ each.

Fifteen cents a pound for electrolytic copper is now being asked for thirty-day delivery by nearly all leading interests in this country and abroad. Early in the day 14⅝ was the price. Heavy sales in Europe at 14⅞ cents or more were reported later.

Northern Ore advanced 1¼ in New York and by 11 o'clock Chesapeake & Ohio, Canadian Pacific, Northern Pacific, the Harriman and Reading, which were all down fractionally, had risen above the low level of the first hour. Steel was up a fraction and Amalgamated, ex-dividend, was ⅛ higher.

Opened Lower in New York.

The price range was lower in New York at the opening, the upward movement of recent days not holding over. It was reported from London that markets had been affected somewhat despite the gravity of the Balkan situation. There was not much business in Americans there, but Berlin sold Canadian Pacific on some scale. Foreign influences were not of much direct influence at the start in New York, where the filing of a government suit against the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. was something of a bear factor. It caused pressure against that issue and it declined more than a point. Other early losses were Southern Pacific 1½; Union Pacific 2½; Steel ¾; American Locomotive ¾; Canadian Pacific 1⅛. New Haven was up ⅛. Other shares moved irregularly with the changes equally divided between gains and losses. The Curb was steady.

Currency Bill Situation.

Reports from Washington indicate that several members of the House Banking Committee are offering very stanch opposition in the currency bill advocated by President Wilson, and which Chairman Glass is trying to have reported. Contention is now chiefly over the Federal reserve board clause which Representative Bulkley of Ohio says puts too much power in the hands of a few individuals.

It is proposed by Representatives Riordale and Henry to amend the bill so that the reserve board shall consist of nine members, to consist of the secretary of the Treasury, Secretary of Agriculture and the Comptroller of the Currency, and six members to be chosen by the President, each to receive $10,000 a year. Of these six one shall be experienced in banking and commercial business; one a representative of industrial labor, one an agriculturist.

Selection of these representatives on the board is to be made by the President from lists of ten eligibles presented to him by labor organizations, farmers' organizations and industrial bodies.

What Banks May Do.

Retiring presidents shall be ex officio members of the board and shall fill any vacancy that may occur. Their terms will be eight years.

Federal reserve banks may discount for member banks notes and bills of exchange issued or drawn for agricultural, industrial or commercial purposes, and notes, bonds or mortgages representing farm loans.

This authority to discount does not include notes or bills issued or drawn for the purpose of carrying or trading in stocks, bonds or other investment securities, except those having a maturity of not more than four months and secured by government, State, county or municipal bonds, or bonds secured by farm mortgages, or the certificates based on agricultural products.

On the indorsement of a member bank the Federal Reserve Bank may discount acceptances of such banks which are based on the exportation or importation of goods and which mature in not more than ninety days, indorsed by one member bank in addition to the acceptor. Member banks may accept drafts or bills of exchange drawn upon it for not more than six months, growing out of transactions involving the importation and exportation of goods.

Powers of Reserve Banks.

There should be an issue of $500,000,000 United States notes, $200,000,000 of which shall be commercial currency, $200,000,000 industrial currency, and $200,000,000 agricultural currency.

The commercial currency is to be issued to the reserve banks, the agricultural currency to be loaned to the States and Territories on their bonds or on the bonds of counties and municipalities, and the agricultural currency is to be issued by reserve banks to farmers on warehouse or storage certificates for cotton, corn and wheat.

Agricultural currency shall be issued on warehouse certificates when cotton is selling at less than 15 cents per pound; corn at less than 60 cents per bushel, and wheat at less than $1 a bushel. The loan shall not exceed one-half the market value of the stored commodity.

National banks not in reserve cities may loan on improved and unincumbered farm lands or on notes or bonds secured by farm mortgages, up to 50 per cent. of the actual value and for a period not to exceed five years. Any national bank may loan or invest in land credit bonds, secured by interest-bearing assembled farm mortgages, at not less than par, where such bonds have been approved by the Federal Reserve Board.

If the committee will not adopt the amendments, Messrs. Henry and Rucker propose to present their plan to the Democratic caucus. Mr. Henry is supposed to have gone over the propositions in N. Y. on Monday, and to have conferred with President Wilson last night. They had a long conference at the White House.

Mr. Henry says that the bill as it stands furthers the interests of the creditor class and that the amendments are intended to serve those of the wage earner, the farmer and the ordinary citizen.

Suit Against Telephone Trust.

Attorney-General McReynolds has filed suit for the government in Oregon to dissolve the alleged Pacific Coast monopoly of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, which is somethings called the "Bell Telephone Trust." The defendant corporation is charged with absorbing competing companies and the government will in the first attempt to apply the Sherman anti-trust law to the telephone combine.

The Attorney General asks the Federal Court to compel the defendant corporation to relinquish control of the independent Telephone Company of Seattle, the Home Telephone Company of Puget Sound, the Northwestern Long Distance Telephone Company, the Interstate Consolidated Telephone Company and the Independent Long Distance Telephone Company. If necessary, the court is asked to appoint a receiver for the properties.

He specially asks for an order that the alleged telephone trust dispose of the stocks, bonds and physical properties of independents, "to persons not connected with the Bell companies as stockholders or otherwise."

Aside from the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, with a capital of $393,999,925, par value and assets of $924,260,818, various corporations and individuals are named as defendants, including Theodore N. Vail, Union H. Bethell, Edward J. Hall, N. C. Kingsbury, and H. B. Thayer, of New York, and William R. Driver and Charles P. Ware, of Massachusetts.

London Copper Quotations.

There was a big rise in the London copper warrants market at the opening, both spot and futures advancing £1.

Sellers are dwindled, owing to the strike at the Lake and the prospect that production will be reduced 20,000,000 pounds a month for an indefinite period, to accept orders at present prices for later than September delivery. It is thought by many persons conversant with the trade that electrolytic would be selling for 15 cents or more a pound within a few days. The advance in the asking price to that figure this morning caused no surprise.

The visible supply of coppers is very low and most consumers have delayed buying so long that they have small stocks on hand.

Financial News in Brief.

The Bank of Germany weekly statement shows that cash in hand has increased 47,750,000 marks.

New York sub-treasury gained $570,000 from the banks yesterday, making a cash net gain of $5,313,000 since Friday.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to 11:15 for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	11:15.
Boston Elevated	89½	89½	89½
Boston & Maine	62⅝	62	62½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	108⅛	108¼	108⅞

TELEPHONES.

American	127⅜	126⅝	127⅛

MISCELLANEOUS.

United Fruit	163	163	163

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MINING STOCKS.

Allouez	32	32	32
Calumet & Ariz.	62½	62½	62½
Calumet & Hecla	413	415	415
Centennial	11	11	11
Copper Range	37½	37½	37½
Granby	61½	60¾	61
Mohawk	43¾	43½	43⅝
North Butte	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞
St. Mary's Land	35	35	35
Utah Copper	46½	46¼	46½
Wilson	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Wolverine	44	44	44

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Alaska Gold	18	18	18
*Amalgamated	68¾	69⅝	69⅝
Am. Zinc	20⅛	20	20
Butte & Superior	28½	28¼	28⅝
Chino	37½	37⅛	37⅜
East Butte	12¼	11⅞	12⅛
Inspiration	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝
New Haven rts.	1⅛	⅞	1
Niplssing	8 7-16	8 7-16	8 7-16
Ohio Copper	20	20	20
Shattuck Arizona	26	26	26
Superior Boston	2⅝	2 9-16	2⅝
U. S. Smelting	38⅝	38⅜	38⅜
Tuolumne	1	1	1

*Ex-dividend.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to 11:15 for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	11:15
Atch., T. & S. F.	98⅝	98¼	98⅝
Canadian Pac.	218½	217½	217⅝
Ches. & Ohio	54½	53¾	54
Chic., M. & St. P.	105⅝	105¼	105⅜
Erie	28⅝	28⅜	28⅜
Gt. Northern pf.	124½	124¼	124⅜
Int. Met. pf.	58⅝	58⅜	58⅜
Lehigh Valley	149	149	149
Mo., Ks. & Tex.	22½	22½	22½
Missouri Pac.	32⅜	32¼	32⅜
N. Y. Central	98⅝	98¼	98⅜
Norfolk & West.	105¾	105¼	105¼
Northern Pac.	109	108⅝	108⅝
Reading	161⅝	160¾	161⅝
Rock Island	17¼	17¼	17¼
Rock Island pf.	28⅝	28⅜	28⅜
Southern Pac.	92⅞	92⅝	92⅞
Southern Ry.	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Union Pacific	149⅝	149	149⅛

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

*Amal. Copper	69⅝	69¼	69⅝
Am. Car & Fdy.	44	43⅝	44
Am. Cotton Oil	38⅛	37⅞	38⅛
Am. Sm. Secur.	25⅝	22½	25⅜
Am. Locomo.	31	31	31
Am. Sm. & R.	83½	82¾	83½
Am. Beet Sugar	26	26	26
Am. Can	33	32⅝	32⅞
Am. Can pf.	92¼	92	92¼
Anaconda Copper	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛
Am. Fuel & Iron	32	31⅝	31⅞
Chino	37½	37¼	37½
Mex. Petroleum	57	57	57
Miami	22	22	22
Northern Ore	35¼	33⅜	35¼
Ray Consolidated	18¼	18	18⅛
Republic Steel	29¾	29¼	29⅝
U. S. Steel	58¼	57⅞	58¼
U. S. Steel pf.	106⅝	106¼	106⅝
Utah Copper	46⅝	46⅜	46⅝
West. Un. Tel.	64	63⅞	63⅞
West. El. & Mfg.	62⅝	62¼	62⅝

*Ex-dividend.

BOSTON CURB.

Changes in the range of prices to 11:15 for Boston Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

	High.	Low.	11:15
Bay State Gas	23c	21c	21c

CASSIDY HITS STATE HEALTH BOARD ATTITUDE

The hearings of the House rescue committee on tuberculosis have developed into a contest between it and the State Board of Health. The committee is trying to find out what is the matter with the tuberculosis situation. The State Board of Health is trying just as hard to keep the committee in the dark. Mr. Cassidy tells you today of yesterday's hearing.

By HARRY P. CASSIDY.

The State Board of Health proved yesterday the truth of the charges made by the AMERICAN that it needs reorganization.

Dr. Henry Pickering Walcott, the chairman, maintained the attitude the board has chosen to take before the House committee. Dr. Walcott for over two hours refused to give the committee any light in its investigation of the spread of tuberculosis. He parried, avoided and evaded all questions fired at him by Representatives Haines of Medford, Collins of Amesbury and Keenan of Lynn.

The whole attitude was one of defiance. Dr. Walcott by his attitude showed he is not a proper chairman for the State Board of Health.

Dr. Walcott was to tell the committee why twenty-one cities and scores of towns had not been compelled to build hospitals providing for infectious cases. Attorney-General Swift construed the law giving the board full authority to carry out its provisions. Dr. Walcott called the law absurd. He admitted his board had done nothing effective in the two years the law has been on the statute books but write a few letters.

Several medical inspectors were before the board yesterday. They gave some enlightening information. But their information was invariably a reflection on the methods of the board's executive work.

Representatives of the board on the committee tried to shut off this damaging evidence. Clashes were frequent. Representatives Haines and Collins fought off these attempts to bottle the investigation. They were successful.

Boston Consolidated Gas	125	125	125
Boston Elevated	89½	89½	89½
Boston & Maine	62⅝	62	62½
Boston & Albany	240	240	240
Boston & Lowell	140	140	140
Boston & Providence	240	240	240
Boston & Worcester	40	40	40
Fitchburg pf.	130	130	130
Maine Central	120	120	120
Mass. Electric	29	29	29
Mass. Electric pf.	75	75	75
N. Y., N. H. & H.	108⅛	108¼	108⅞
Northern New Hamp.	130	130	130
Old Colony	200	200	200
Rutland pf.	60	60	60
Vermont & Mass.	100	100	100
West End	90	90	90
West End pf.	107	107	107
Adventure	8	8	8
Ahmeek	70	70	70
Allouez	32	32	32
Arcadian Consol.	12	12	12
Arizona Commercial	12	12	12
Bingham	50	50	50
Calumet & Ariz.	62½	62½	62½
Calumet & Hecla	413	415	415
Centennial	11	11	11
Copper Range	37½	37½	37½
Daly West	20	20	20
Franklin	9	9	9
Granby	61½	60¾	61
Helvetia	30	30	30
Indiana	25	25	25
Isle Royale	28	28	28
Kerr Lake	6	6	6
La Salle	15	15	15
Mass Consol.	12	12	12
Mayflower	70	70	70
Mohawk	43¾	43½	43⅝
Nevada Consol.	20	20	20
North Butte	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞
North Lake	3	3	3
Old Dominion	60	60	60
Osceola	70	70	70
Parrot	30	30	30
Quincy	70	70	70
Shannon	10	10	10
Superior	20	20	20
Superior & Boston	1	1	1
Tamarack	50	50	50
Trinity	12	12	12
U. S. Smelting	38⅝	38⅜	38⅜
U. S. Smelting pf.	50	50	50
Utah Apex	3	3	3
Utah Consol.	12	12	12
Utah Copper	46½	46¼	46½
Victoria	3	3	3
Winona	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Wolverine	44	44	44
Wyandot	1	1	1

Auto News

By J. C. KERRISON.

The 1914 models soon to be shown along automobile row will certainly demonstrate that the manufacturer has gone the limit in his efforts for refinement of details. Electric illumination of the instrument board and of the running boards is not new, but now comes a manufacturer who carries the refinement further by putting several little lamps on the instrument board so that not only are all the dials illuminated, but also the levers and floorboard. And still going further, lenses are placed in the side lamps so that at all times a bright beam of light is thrown on each of the running boards, while a similar lense in the tail lamps throws light on the gasoline gauge. Then there is another manufacturer who has placed the front head lamps on the front mudguards.

W. C. Sills, New England manager of the Chevrolet, is in New York looking over the 1914 models and ordering cars for shipments to the Boston branch. Mr. Sills is due back today.

Frank Wing, the Marmon distributor, is spending a few days in his native heath in Maine. The output of the Marmon factory in Indianapolis and motor back to Boston in one of the new Marmon models.

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$55 Cash Prizes in American's Picture Puzzle Contest

Take a look at the puzzle picture on this page today. See if you can find a solution for it. It represents a well-known proverb.

No doubt you have heard this proverb a hundred times. All you have to do is to exercise your brains a little and the answer ought to come to you.

That answer, if it's the correct one, ought to have a cash value. There are thirty-five other puzzle pictures in the series of seventy-five which go to make up the whole in the Puzzle Picture Contest now being conducted by the American. If you have the good wit to solve all seventy-five correctly, you will be able to qualify as the winner of $1,000 in gold, the capital prize.

If you come in second best you will win $800 in gold.

If third best, $500 in gold.

If fourth, $250 in gold.

Perhaps you think that these four prizes are enough in themselves to make any one anxious to try to turn in the correct solutions to the seventy-five puzzle pictures.

But the American is doing much better than that. It is offering, all told, one hundred and fifty-five cash prizes. You see we have named only four of the one hundred and fifty-five. Every contestant who has put a lot of thought and care into the solving of the puzzle pictures has a splendid opportunity of winning one of the cash awards.

We have said before that it doesn't make any difference how old you are, or how young, or where you live, or when you entered the contest. This competition is to be judged wholly by results.

The contestant who enters on the last day and turns in a set of solutions more correct than any person who has been in from the start will win over that person.

This is one of the beauties of the contest—its absolute fairness. Of course, the American realized from the beginning that with seventy-five puzzle pictures to be solved, there would be difficulty in supplying the right proverb to fit each picture. It was out of the question to expect every one to remember so many proverbs. And it meant a lot of work and expense for the contestants to go to libraries to look them up.

So the American placed the Guide at the service of the competitors. This Guide contains more than three thousand proverbs never before used by this paper. Every proverb is correctly quoted, and it is from these proverbs that the puzzle pictures are taken.

This invaluable aid, therefore, is the absolute key to all the puzzle pictures, and it remains only for each contestant to find the correct proverb to fit each particular picture.

That means thorough consultation of the Guide. It means, too, that late comers will probably be able to solve several puzzle pictures at one time.

The Guide is offered at the modest sum of twenty-five cents, or five cents more if sent by mail. Both pictures may be obtained at the American Promotion Dept. at the regular rates of the American—that is, one cent for each daily picture and five cents for each Sunday picture. There is no extra charge for postage.

With the great cash awards offered there ought to be the keenest kind of incentive for every competitor to do his best to come on ahead.

No one can tell who will win. No one person knows all the answers. Don't be fooled by any one who tells you to the contrary. Every contestant stands on an equal footing with every other contestant.

The names of the judges will be announced later, and they will be all well-known persons and in no way connected with this paper.

TODAY'S PICTURE
This Is Picture No. 40

What Proverb Does This Picture Represent?

Proverb Contest Editor, No. 40
Boston American, No. 5 Winthrop Square:
My solution of Proverb Puzzle No. 40 is:
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My Name is .....
Address .....
Town ..... State .....
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6th Prize	125.00	Cash
7th Prize	100.00	Cash
8th Prize	75.00	Cash
9th Prize	50.00	Cash
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51st-155th Prizes	5.00	EACH

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WHAT IS GOOD TO EAT IN THE MARKET TODAY

A few California grapes have been received in Boston this week, but they have not yet appeared on the fruit stands, the hotels taking them all. Larger shipments will be coming next week. Increasing shipments of sweet potatoes from North Carolina are selling at retail for seven cents a pound.

Fresh laid Western eggs are coming into the Eastern markets heated and in bad condition, thus increasing the demand for nearby eggs.

Green apples are becoming more plentiful. They sell at from seventy-five cents to a dollar a peck at retail. Home-grown cantaloupes being fifteen cents each. Native cabbages have been coming in for the past week.

Spring lamb is more plentiful and the wholesale price has dropped slightly during the week.

New potatoes sell at a higher figure than a fortnight ago. Commission men state, however, that the price will probably drop soon.

President Wilson Bans Wedding Fund

BALTIMORE, Md., July 25.—President Wilson, through his private secretary, has returned Mayor Preston to see that no fund is raised to purchase a wedding present for his daughter, Jessie, who is to marry Francis Sayre. Ernest Norden-hole had sent a check for $50 to Mayor Preston to start a subscription. The check was returned.

Female Situations Wanted.

DRESSMAKER—Will work for $1 per day and expenses. MRS. A. CHARLESCOX, 720 Parker st., Roxbury.

DRESSMAKER—$1.00 a day; cut, fit, finish suits, gowns, children's dresses. 2 249, Boston American.

HOUSEKEEPER—American woman wants situation in Newburyport with father and son or elderly couple. 34 Ash st., Boston.

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Female Help Wanted.

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WANT AT ONCE
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10 GIRLS

TO LEARN white duck coat making. Apply cor. Albany and Wareham sts., EMPIRE MFG. CO.

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HOUSEWORK—Wanted, a woman to do general housework. Apply at telephone office, 9 ROCKWELL, Bingham, Mass. Telephone 474-W Hingham.

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UNION PARK, 21—Newly fur., sq. and side rooms, 3, and c. water, $2 up; tel.

UPTON ST., 45—Sq. and side room com. for gas; $2 up; kitchen and back parlor for 1, 2.

UPTON ST., 46—Sq. and side room com. for gas; $2 up; kitchen and back parlor for 1, 2.

UPTON ST., 38—Two connecting, furnished housekeeping rooms, $4.00 per week.

WASHINGTON ST., 1455 — Housekeeping rooms, newly papered and painted, $2, $2.50, $3.

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WEST CANTON ST., 189—Clean, well-furnished square room, water, gas, $2.50; side room, $1.00.

WEST CONCORD ST., 110—2 connecting rooms for housekeeping; also single rooms; reasonable.

WEST CONCORD, 156—Beautiful, large room, 1 fl., front, well furnished, 2 windows, large closet.

WEST NEWTON ST., 283—Suite 1, rec. HOUSEKEEPING OFFICE; also 1 or 2 rooms and kitchen, well adapted for business and housework.

W. NEWTON ST., 35—Nicely furnished rooms, $1.50 per week; private family; home privileges.

WEST NEWTON ST., 106—Nicely furnished side room, $1.50; square room, $2; hot water; excellent location. Tel.

WEST NEWTON ST., 44—Front sq. room with kitchenette, large back sq. room; tel.

WEST NEWTON ST., 36—Front sq. room with kitchenette, $3; laundry if desired.

WEST NEWTON ST., 56—Large sq. room, with kitchenette, $3.50; also large front room, $3.

WEST NEWTON ST., 63—Two-room suite for housekeeping; $3.50 per week.

WEST RUTLAND SQ., 31—Sq. room with kitchenette, $3.50; also 2 sq. connecting, side room; tel.

WINGFIELD ST., 107—Large front parlor, 1 h. c. water; also large sq. room and side room.

WEST NEWTON ST., 41—Three nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern conveniences; reasonable.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND, DAILY AND SUNDAY

Little Children Are No Longer to Be Humiliated

The Directors of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children Have Accepted the AMERICAN'S Criticism in the Spirit in Which It Was Made and Have Voted Never Again to Permit the Use of Police Conveyances in Their Helpful Work

It pleases the **AMERICAN** to be able to announce to the public that the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children has heeded the criticism which the **AMERICAN** made of the method employed in removing the O'Neil children from the public schools in Somerville by a police ambulance.

The directors of the society have formally voted never again to permit the use of a police ambulance or any other means of conveyance which will unnecessarily humiliate innocent children.

This society was organized for the most necessary purpose. Its object, which is to protect the morals, the health and happiness of children, is the highest possible object of human endeavor, for little children "are of the Kingdom of Heaven." It has performed its task well. Its errors have been human and they will not militate against its progress or cause the loss of public support so long as it continues to profit by experience and to learn the lesson of its mistakes and accept with an open mind the criticism which is fairly made for the purpose of **HELPING**, not **HINDERING**, its work.

It has clearly profited by its experience in the Somerville incident, and has accepted the criticism by the **AMERICAN** in the spirit in which it was made.

We congratulate the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children upon its good judgment, and we wish it Godspeed in its high endeavor.

Bananas Are a Poor Food

They Would Do Excellently for Cows. For Children, as a Rule, They Are Not Good

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We do not agree with the enthusiastic gentlemen, including banana merchants, who gathered in New York City to protest against a tariff on bananas.

That tariff is about as good as any other. It is foolish in its way, since we do not grow bananas in this country, and we cannot protect the American banana, which does not exist, by keeping out the cheap foreign banana.

On the other hand, if we keep out bananas, we might persuade Americans to eat more apples—and that would be an excellent thing for the American stomach and for the American farmers.

The banana is a poor food at best.

Like all other things that Nature produces in great quantity, and with little labor, it is not very valuable.

Divine Wisdom intends that man shall WORK for what he gets.

That which he gets with no work, or with little, is not valuable.

For children, the banana is a poor substitute for good fruit.

Occasionally a banana, or, better still, half of one, may be taken by a robust child without harm.

But as a general thing children do not digest bananas easily. And they get little food value out of them when they do digest them.

Many children are made ill by them, and thousands of attacks of illness that ignorant parents do not understand come from the eating of bananas bought by children because they are cheap.

We have had letters from those that buy and sell bananas, urging us to protest against the tariff. We do nothing of the kind.

The tariff does not amount to much in any case.

If the merchants are so deeply interested in giving pure fruit to the people at a low price, **WHY DON'T THEY DO IT!**

One of them writes, "bananas are sometimes sold on the docks as cheap as a dollar a ton. They are the poor man's fruit."

Perhaps they are. But, **THE POOR MAN DOESN'T GET THEM FOR A DOLLAR A TON.**

If the merchants are so sincere in their love for the poor man, and in their desire to give him cheap fruit, **LET THEM BEGIN AT HOME.** Let them, for instance, when bananas sell for a dollar a ton on the docks, sell them to the people, let us say, as cheap as $5 a ton. Have they done that yet?

The trouble is with banana merchants, as with other self-seeking American citizens. We all get very much excited about government tariff matters, etc.—when such things threaten to interfere with OUR own profits.

And we take little interest in the poor man or in any other man except ourselves, when OUR pockets or profits are not threatened.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

ASKS JUSTICE FOR GREEK ARMY

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—I see by the Associated Press dispatches that the Greek army is being accused by its enemies in Europe, especially Bulgarian citizens and officials, of committing atrocities contrary to the rules and usages of civilized warfare. I was with the Greek army in the campaign in Epirus in December, 1912, and January of 1913, and witnessed their conduct under all circumstances. The army is properly officered by able and humane gentlemen, scrupulously considerate of everyone.

While in Epirus I saw their treatment of Turkish prisoners. It was kind, friendly and more than magnanimous. They gave their prisoners the same food their own soldiers were using. They gave the officers of the Turkish army their sabres regularly, presuming, of course, that the Ottoman government would remunerate them when peace would be finally declared. I saw thousands of Turkish prisoners at the island of Corfu, also in the city of Patras, and at Phalerom, Greece. They were treated kindly and were well fed and housed, so I am compelled to believe these statements emanate, not from truth, but from a malicious and selfish desire to injure and destroy the fair name and prestige of the Greeks, as soldiers and sailors.

I was personally with the Greek army of Epirus, directly connected with the Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry and eight batteries of field artillery, and I consider it only simple justice to this race to let the American people know that these stories are absurd, unfair and untrue.

I watched their conduct of the war and their treatment of prisoners and captured territory closely. They should be applauded and not condemned. The country of Greece is small. It is not overburdened with wealth, but they have shown great courage and true manhood in their policy of the war.

THOMAS S. HUTCHISON,
Brigadier-General National Guard of Tennessee (retired).
Chicago, July 17.

The Cruise of the "Piffle"

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MY FRIENDS LET US APPRECIATE THE GLORIOUS OPPORTUNITIES OF THE TIMES IN WHICH WE LIVE! WASHINGTON NEVER MADE $250 A NIGHT. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN COULDN'T ACCUMULATE $170,000 IN TEN YEARS TO SAVE HIS SKIN! DON'T FORGET THE SECOND LECTURE NEXT SATURDAY EVENING!
TO ARMS!
JUICE
THE COMMON PEOPLE
F. OPPER

"Oh, fiddlesticks!" This strong and incisive language, so habitual to seafaring men, was uttered by Admiral Juice, of the battleship "Piffle," as he prepared to begin his lecture in the Jonesville Opera House! "Rarely has it been my good fortune to address such a magnificent audience," he continued. "Ah, my friends, we sailors lead a hard life! Think of it! Only $12,000 a year! No wonder you weep. It's fierce!" At this moment the second mate of the "Piffle" rushed into the hall shouting: "The Japs and Mexicans are attacking the ship! They say you're a lobster and they can lick you!" With perfect coolness the brave old sea-dog replied, "Send a flag of truce to the enemy and invite them to a basket picnic in the grove this afternoon! Tell them I'll deliver a lecture at two dollars a head!" Scarcely had he spoken these words when an awful—

To be continued! Don't miss the exciting adventure on the Cannibal Island in the next installment!

The Landlubber

"MOTHER" CONNOR

By MORTON BIRGE

(The heroine of the Binghamton fire horror was Miss Nellie Connor, forewoman, who was "Mother" Connor to all the girls).

From out the tale of fire and flame, the search for guilt, the fear of shame;
There comes to solace human pride the tale how "Mother" Connor died.

She ruled the girls for years and years. She heard their sorrows, hopes and fears.
They brought to her their fun and strife, the homely things of working life.
With no child of her own to call, she filled that place to one and all
And gently "Mothered" day by day the girls who worked beneath her sway.

When fire swept fast from floor to floor and smoke choked window, hall and door,
The "Mother" took her post beside the stairway-head and calmly cried:

"There's lots of time. Don't crowd about. There's lots of time. You'll all get out."
And each girl heard that voice ring clear: "This way. There's lots of time, my dear."

Above the screams her call was heard and those who heeded "Mother's" word,
Escaped from out that hell of flame and live today to bless her name.
But she who held that fearful place, of courage high and shining face,
She fell beside the final stair and searchers found her body there.

From out the stories of the flame there rises one brave, splendid name,
And may the world know, far and wide, the way that "Mother" Connor died.

One Woman's Story

By VIRGINIA TERHUNE VAN DE WATER

Chapter IX.

MARY smiled reassuringly into the anxious faces of her parents bending over her as she opened her eyes after a brief period of unconsciousness. She found herself lying upon the living-room couch, her forehead wet from the water which her mother had applied in the effort to "bring her around." She struggled to a sitting posture, beginning at once to explain the attack of faintness which had seized her.

"I have been working a little too hard in this warm weather," she said. "I have not felt well lately, anyway, and this is but the culmination of the weariness and strain—nothing else."

She spoke no word of the news that had held her eyes waking far into the night, nor of the blessed relief of the knowledge that the man whom she had feared was injured or dead was alive and well.

"You won't try to go to school today, will you?" pleaded her mother.

The girl smiled. "It is Saturday, mother," she reminded her. "But I must go down to the Public Library to look up some matters I want to be sure of, before Monday. But I will take a cup of coffee first."

She drank this when her mother brought it to her, then rose with decision.

"I am ashamed of myself to be so weak and foolish!" she exclaimed. "Please, dear people, try to forget it."

"Would you like to look over the morning paper?" asked her father, eyeing her keenly.

"No, thank you!" she said quickly. "Thank you mother, for waiting so sweetly on your silly daughter. I will go to bed early tonight and not repeat this performance of fainting. I never did such a thing quite so causelessly and suddenly before in my life."

When she had left the living-room, the father and mother gazed again into each other's faces.

"The fact that she avoids the subject that made her faint shows that she cares for this young man," declared the mother. "Well, he is a nice fellow, I guess."

"I don't care how nice he is," retorted the father, "he is not half good enough for my girl. Before I consent to any serious attentions from him I am going to write to his firm and find what his record is."

"That's all right dear," agreed the wife indulgently. "I approve of your doing that. But if the Angel Gabriel—trumpet and all—were to ask you for Mary you would not think him good enough for her."

Father and Mother See Girl's Suitor With Different Eyes

"And he wouldn't be!" asserted the father, without a smile.

The most tender mother is willing—even, at times, glad—to have her daughter marry an honorable, well-to-do gentleman; a fond father seldom looks with favor upon any suitor for his daughter's hand.

An hour later Mary appeared in her mother's room, her hat and gloves on, ready to go out. Mrs. Danforth looked solicitously at her, but, seeing that the color had returned to her lips, she forbore to utter any protest. If the child was restless it was better to let her go. In the library she might find the books she needed for her work, they might quiet her nerves, turning her thoughts from agitating subjects.

Mrs. Danforth would have been surprised could she have seen her daughter when she reached her destination. Instead of going at once in search of the volumes in which she was to "look up" certain important subjects, she went direct to the reading room of the library and was in a few minutes immersed in the morning papers. A close observer would have noticed that the only columns she read were those dealing with the recent railroad wreck and the deeds of heroism of the various uninjured passengers—the most active and bravest of whom had evidently been "the young Texan, Gordon Craig by name." As the girl read, her cheeks glowed and a soft light came to her eyes. So absorbed was she in her dreams, that she was leaving the building before she remembered that in her wrist-bag she carried a list of books of reference which she must find this morning, and, with a start, went in search of these.

Somehow all literature except the newspapers seemed very dull today.

As it was Saturday, Mr. Danforth came home at noontime, and was there when his daughter returned a little before the luncheon hour. He greeted her brightly.

"Well!" he said jocosely, "I saw our hero this morning! Craig was at my office. He ran in to tell me that he was all right and to ask if we had seen the account of the wreck. I told him that we had, but I did not flatter him by telling him we had been badly scared about him."

Mary drew a sigh of relief. She had feared her father might mention her evident anxiety, then she reminded herself that she might have known he would not. She waited for his next remark. Although she had read and re-read the newspaper accounts of Craig's heroism, she hoped to hear more about it by word of mouth. Her father answered her unspoken thought.

"He said little about himself," he went on, "and I liked him better for that. When I said that I understood he had done some pretty fine work he turned as red as a lobster and said—'It was only what any man would have done under the circumstances,' and changed the subject. So I let it drop. I asked him to come up and see us before he goes back to Texas, and he said he would try to."

"Probably he will not find time to," said Mary with studied indifference. She began to talk vivaciously or her work, of the approaching school commencement, of anything and everything except of Gordon Craig. And her father and mother, watching her, understood.

Messenger Leaves Note Inviting Her to Opera

That afternoon a messenger left at her door a note for her. It was short:

"Dear Miss Danforth: Will you give me the happiness of your company to the opera next Wednesday night? I will call for you at a quarter before eight. The performance is 'Aida.'

"Faithfully yours,
"GORDON CRAIG."

The reply that the messenger carried back to Craig was even more brief than the note he had brought:

"My dear Mr. Craig: Thank you. I will be ready at 7:45 Wednesday night.

"Sincerely yours,
"MARY DANFORTH."